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PEOPLE MOURN FOR DEAD KING

Sorrowful Crowds Line Streets to Watch Transfer of Body from Buckingham Palace to Westminster Hall

MANY THOUSANDS SEEK TO VIEW COFFIN

Queen Mother and King George Appear in the Procession—Royalties Gather at London for Funeral

LONDON, May 17.—Simple ceremonies marked the removal today of the body of Edward VII. from Buckingham palace to Westminster hall; but more impressive than the presence of kings and the gorgeous uniforms of state officials and officers of the army and navy, was the silent grief displayed by the British people, who, massed behind double lines of soldiers, watched with strained faces and bowed heads the passage of the gun carriage that bore the coffin of the monarch.

The Queen Mother, Alexandra, who rode in the first state carriage, suffered with queenly dignity, and King George walked behind the coffin with his two sons, the Duke of Cornwall and Prince Albert, showing no signs of the burdens of sorrow and state that rested on his shoulders.

The body of Edward VII. will lie in state in Westminster hall until Friday, when it will be taken to Windsor castle there to be placed temporarily in the vaults beneath the floor of St. George's chapel and later in the tomb that will be prepared for it in the Albert Memorial chapel.

Brief services, attended only by the members of the royal family, were conducted at Buckingham Palace in the morning by the Bishop of London. The Archbishop of Canterbury received the body at Westminster hall, where it was borne to the shoulders of soldiers and placed on the purple catafalque. A white and gold embroidered pall, with the royal ensign, covers the coffin, and above all are the crown, the orb and sceptre.

At four o'clock in the afternoon the doors of the hall were thrown open to the public. Already 50,000 people were in line waiting for admission. They were composed mostly of the middle and working classes, men, women and children, and the great majority were dressed in black, many carrying flowers. A steady stream began passing through the hall at the rate of 6,000 per hour, and at ten o'clock, tonight, when the hall was closed, there was a line extending on the streets for nearly two miles.

King Alfonso of Spain and King George of Greece arrived in London this evening. Both were met at the station by King George, the Duke of Cornwall, the Duke of Connaught and other royal personages. Prince Henry of Prussia also reached here tonight to represent the German navy at the funeral. He was met by the Duke of Connaught.

The German Emperor left Berlin tonight for London to attend the funeral of King Edward. He will cross to England from Flushing, Holland, on board the Imperial yacht Hohenzollern.

Theodore Roosevelt will ride in a carriage on Friday in the funeral procession of King Edward. Mr. Roosevelt settled the matter himself. The monarchs who will ride in the procession will be mounted on horses and will lead the carriages. The question of the position to be given Mr. Roosevelt has caused wide discussion. Learning of the embarrassment, he announced today that he would ride in one of the carriages. The former president had also decided that he will make no public appearance here except for the Romanes lecture at the Guild hall and the reception following it.

ALBERTA CROPS

CALGARY, May 17.—The Canadian Pacific Railway crop report for the Province shows very satisfactory conditions at Central Alberta points. Fall wheat is reported as being 3 1/2 inches high, and spring seedling is practically completed.

FRANCHISE TAXES PAID

NEW YORK, May 17.—With the agreement to pay about \$4,000,000 of the special franchise taxes held against it for years, the Metropolitan Street Railway Company today closed up the case before Justice Gorman in the Supreme Court. The settlement reached by counsel for the company and Attorney-General O'Malley cleans up the back franchise taxes except those still owed by the Manhattan Elevated and the New York Central. Thus back taxes which at one time amounted to almost \$50,000,000 have been paid or settlements reached.

DISPUTE OVER CONTROL

OTTAWA, May 17.—A dispute with reference to the control of the stock in the Hudson Bay and Pacific Railway Development company culminated today, when on behalf of himself and other directors, Ralph Jones, of Ottawa, secured an interim injunction tying up the operations of the British Board, which it is alleged is trying to run things without the consent of the Canadian contingent. The last time the company was in the limelight was when Baron Olt, at its head, cut a swath in Ottawa society.

CAUGHT IN BELT

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., May 17.—After being whirled with lightning rapidity through a sixteen-inch space between belting and ceiling, over some machinery in a mill at Greer's camp, at Mack's Siding, until every article of clothing was torn from him, Daniel McCullough now lies in St. Joseph's hospital with his right leg broken and one of his shoulders badly shattered, fortunate in having escaped with his life. The injured man was brought to the city on a special train.

IRRIGATION CONTRACT LET

CALGARY, May 17.—The contract for the extension of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's irrigation system in the eastern section of the irrigation block, for which bids closed on the 1st instant, has been awarded to Janse, McDonald & Co., with whom are associated Winter, Boomer & Hughes, also Grant, Smith & Co., all of Spokane, Wash. The work covers the removal of some 28,000,000 cubic yards of material in the construction of the canals, and is one of

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START WORK ON KOOTENAY ROAD

Tenders for Construction of Section of Kootenay Central Railway to Be Invited by C. P. R.—Begin This Summer

INTENTION TO BUILD FROM SOUTHERN END

Junction With Crow's Nest Pass Branch to Be at Galloway, Some Miles East of Cranbrook—Route of Road

VANCOUVER, May 17.—An early start on the construction of the Kootenay Central railway is indicated by the decision of the C. P. R. to immediately call for tenders for the work. It is reported that bids will be required to be in the hands of officials of the company in Vancouver by the end of the present month. It is understood that this means the starting of the work this summer.

At the outset but twenty-five or thirty miles of work will be awarded, and, contrary to general expectations, construction will be started on the south end of the line instead of in the vicinity of Golden, at the northern end. Several years ago ten miles of grading was done from Golden, on the main line of the C. P. R., but steel was never laid on that section. The Kootenay Central, following the valleys of the upper Columbia and Kootenay rivers will link the main line of the C. P. R. with the Crow's Nest branch, traversing valleys reputed to be rich in mineral and agricultural resources.

At its southern end the railway will join the Crow's Nest Pass branch at a point some miles to the east of Cranbrook, near Galloway. Last year representations were made to the C. P. R. by the citizens of Cranbrook with a view to having that town made the junction point. The company caused surveys to be made, but it was found that the route to the Bar Point lightship in about 13 feet of water. The tug Smith went to her assistance and rescued the crew. The sea is still heavy, and she may go to pieces before morning.

Jockey Lyne Ill

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 17.—A private cable received here today announces that Lucille Lyne, of Lexington, the famous American jockey, who has been riding in Belgium, has been stricken with appendicitis, and is seriously ill in Brussels.

TO PASS THROUGH TAIL OF COMET

Washington Astronomer Fixes Beginning of Contact at Eleven O'Clock Tonight, Eastern Time.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Although the people of the earth will not know they are passing through the tail of a comet, neither seeing it nor suffering any injurious results therefrom, beginning tomorrow night about 11 o'clock and for the next five hours thereafter, they will be in the midst of the tail of Halley's comet.

This statement was given tonight by Prof. Asaph Hall, of the navy observation here. It is possible, he said, that there will be meteoric showers, although he doubted it.

Its nearest approach to the earth having been made, the celestial wanderer, which comes this way but once every three-quarters of a century, or so, will begin recede.

On Thursday, it is doubtful, according to Prof. Hall, if anybody will be able to see the comet, but on Friday night, if the weather is favorable, it should make a showing.

MURDEROUS WEAPON

Part of Stiletto Used in Killing of Italian Laborer at Vancouver Broken Off in Wound.

VANCOUVER, May 17.—"A man who carries a knife like this should be arrested for it if he did nothing else," frowned Coroner Jeffs. He held before the jury four and a half inches of a stiletto, which had been removed from the body of Cesare Perieri, the Italian laborer with whose murder a fellow countryman named Innocenzo is now charged, the latter having been arrested within 24 hours of the deed.

This piece of the stiletto was found under the dead man's collar bone. It was sharpened to a needle point. It had, the evidence showed, acted as a plug in the wound, causing the fatal hemorrhage.

Perieri had been clearly attacked on the run by his assailant, but the latter has a wound, and it is asserted by him that the dead man led in the attack. Both were laborers on civic works.

C.P.R. Division Engineer

VANCOUVER, May 17.—It is probable that Hugh Walker will be appointed division engineer to succeed C. E. Cartwright, resigned.

Civil Service Mourning.

OTTAWA, May 17.—An order has been issued to the civil service calling upon all employees to wear appropriate mourning until after the funeral of the king. It is being very generally observed.

Doukbors Grading Railway

CANORA, Sask., May 17.—Peter Verges's big grading outfit started work today on the Canora-Yorkton line of the G. T. P., thirty miles of grade in all, with 400 Doukbors and teams. This work will be rushed ahead and will be finished in less than two months.

BODIES BLOWN LONG DISTANCE

Lives Blotted Out by Boiler Explosion at Canton, Ohio—Sheet and Tin Plate Company's Plant in Ruins

TEN MEN KILLED AND THREE MISSING

Some of Those Injured Likely to Die—Body of One Victim Blown Through House 700 Feet Distant

CANTON, Ohio, May 17.—Ten men were instantly killed, three are missing, thirty were wounded, some probably fatally, and heavy property damage was done by the explosion this afternoon of a battery of seven boilers at the American Sheet and Tin Plate company's plant.

At midnight the list of the known dead was: Charles Brown, John Wheeling, George Bole, Jay Deney, Harry Baltzley, Herman Lothamer, H. Stulz. Three bodies were so mangled as to be beyond recognition. Officials of the plant think that there are no more bodies in the ruins.

The amount of damage cannot be estimated by the officials of the company until they can view the ruins by daylight.

The cause of the explosion is at present unknown. Two firemen and an engineer who were in the boiler room are dead. No one else who survived the accident can give an explanation. One workman said that he heard three distinct explosions in quick succession. They came so close, however, that it was all over in a minute. The force of the concussion was terrific. The big plant is in such a state of ruin as to be practically a total loss.

Some of those killed were badly mutilated. Heads were blown from several bodies. Arms and legs were torn from the trunks. Fragments of bodies were blown several squares from the scene and bits of human flesh have been picked up on porches and roofs of houses and in trees. There were one hundred men at work in the plant at the time of the explosion, and a dozen or so escaped death or injury. These and others rushed to the plant as soon as the disaster was known, and worked heroically to rescue the injured from the ruins. The ruins took fire, but the fire was soon put out.

Trusted men are at work looking for dead, injured and missing. The task proved difficult because the injured had been rushed to the three hospitals of the city and there was nothing which can identify them. Members of the bereaved families rushed frantically to the plant and then to hospitals trying to find trace of their loved ones. It was thought at 8 o'clock tonight that all the dead had been removed from the debris.

The body of one man, unknown, was blown through a house over 700 feet from the plant. The body entered the house from the east side, fell through a bedroom and through another side of the house.

The corpse of another man was found in a garden of a yard about 500 feet west of the scene. Arms, legs, and parts of bodies were strewn about the neighborhood. The bodies of men mutilated beyond recognition were found in the north end of the mill.

"For God's sake hit me on the head and kill me," cried one workman to a man who found him. The injured man had an arm torn off and a great hole in his side.

The plant had five mills. All the employees who were working at this one, two, three and four were either killed or injured, while the men in mill number five, farthest from the boilers, escaped serious injury.

FOUND GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

Verdict of Jury in Case of Watts Charged With Murder at Nanaimo Assizes—The Holmes Trial Probably Today

NANAIMO, May 17.—The spring assizes opened here this afternoon, Mr. Justice Gregory presiding. There are four cases on the docket, by far the most interesting of which is the Holmes murder case.

In addition to the Holmes case, there are three other cases on the docket. These are Rex vs. Watts, in which the prisoner, an old man 70 years of age, was charged with the murder of another old man, Andrew Hogberg, of Baynes Sound, in September last; Rex vs. Hannay, assault with intent to do grievous bodily harm, and Rex vs. Robertson, in which the latter is charged with criminal assault at Extension.

Deputy Attorney General McLean, the crown prosecutor, announced that as the associate counsel for defense in the Holmes case was unable to appear owing to illness he was prepared to put off the case until after the Watts case had been tried. True bills had been found at the last assizes.

The case of Rex vs. Watts was then proceeded with. The prisoner having pleaded not guilty, Crown Prosecutor McLean outlined the case, first explaining that the accused up to August 13 had resided in a cabin at Baynes Sound. On the afternoon of August 13th, prisoner and Hogberg, the man who was killed, were at an hotel, where each of them had a couple of drinks, and each took a bottle of liquor away with him. That was about noon, and that was the last seen of Hogberg, better known as Anderson, alive.

Next morning the prisoner was seen by some girls who were seeking cows. Watts told them that there was a man lying dead beside his cabin, and that it was Hogberg. The prisoner talked with the girls, asking them if he was dirty. One girl replied that his face was clean, but his hands were dirty, and when he showed them to her they were smeared with blood.

Later the prisoner turned up at the Palmer hotel, where he told a similar story, and Hogberg, when a search was made, was found lying with blood around him and wounds in his head. Watts' cabin when examined, presented a disordered appearance, and they found in it a hat and a cane belonging to the dead man and a double-bit axe. Bloodstains were also found subsequently on the prisoner's clothing.

The Watts case was concluded this evening, the jury returning a verdict of manslaughter after a half hour's deliberation. The prisoner will appear for sentence tomorrow morning.

No bill was found in the case of Rex vs. Hannay, charged with assault.

The Holmes case will probably come up for hearing tomorrow morning.

READY TO BUILD CANADIAN NAVY

Three British Shipbuilding Firms Notify Government—Propositions Yet Too Indefinite to Be Dealt With

OTTAWA, May 17.—Three British shipbuilding firms have advised the Department of Marine of their readiness to establish yards in Canada for the construction of ships of the Canadian navy.

The propositions, however, are not definite, and until tenders are received the relative cost of construction here and in Great Britain will not be known or a final decision reached as to where the work will be done.

To Cease Work

MONTREAL, May 17.—A unique tribute will be paid by the Canadian Pacific railway company to the memory of King Edward on the day of the King's funeral. When three o'clock arrives in Montreal on Friday afternoon work on the entire Canadian Pacific system from coast to coast will be stopped for three minutes. The hour of three o'clock in Montreal will correspond with the time the cortege will leave Westminster hall.

Terminals at Quebec

QUEBEC, May 17.—The members of the council of the Quebec board of trade had a lengthy interview with Sir Wilfrid Laurier at the government offices this morning. The prime minister was accompanied by Hon. Mr. Brodeur, Hon. Mr. Lemieux, Hon. W. Pugsley, Hon. Mr. Graham and Hon. Mr. Parent. The site of the terminal of the Transcontinental at Quebec was practically decided. It will be on the Champlain and front market, and the waterfront will be considerably improved, provided with wharves, elevators, etc. The custom house will

Negroes Frightened

NEW ORLEANS, May 17.—As a result of the appearance of a large multi-colored circle around the sun, consternation was created among the negroes at work in the fields in Louisiana and Mississippi. The negroes stopped work and fell to crying and praying.

Memorial Service at Nanaimo.

NANAIMO, May 17.—Mayor Planta has issued a proclamation declaring Friday, May 20th, being the day appointed for the interment of the body of the late king a public holiday. Memorial services will be held in St. Paul's and St. Andrew's churches.

Trial Interrupted

VANCOUVER, May 17.—Because J. A. Harvey, K. C., appearing for complainant in the locally famous criminal libel case in which Japanese are concerned, happened to comment on the fact that the defendant did not take the stand in his own behalf, Mr. Justice Murphy today ordered the discharge of the jury, and the commencing of a new trial, after the hearing had proceeded two days.

Fire in Ottawa School

OTTAWA, May 17.—At a fire at 12.45 this morning at the Christian Brothers' school thirteen brothers had to jump from the windows for their lives, and race down the fire ladders. Mementoes of a double alarm were sounded and the fire department extinguished the blaze. About \$4,000 damage was done. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

U. S. Troops May Pass Through

OTTAWA, May 17.—The United States government some time ago made application for permission for the passage through Canadian territory of the troops whom they desire to move from Skagway to Port Elbert via the White Horse pass route. Permission has been granted on condition that the American troops will not display any colors while passing through Canadian territory, and that their arms will be stacked in boxes.

WAGE SETTLEMENTS

Railway Men Get Concessions—Clerks on One Road Go Out on Strike.

ROANOKE, Va., May 17.—A general strike of clerks on the Norfolk and Western railway was ordered today by the Railroad Clerks' union after a vote which showed 93 per cent. of that class of employees in favor of it. The strike calls out 600 men.

NEW YORK, May 17.—The wage question for all the Vanderbilt lines has been settled. Announcement was made in New York tonight that the so-called B. & O. terms had been accorded to the trainmen, and this coincides with the Big Four and lines in the Erie and the Chicago, Indianapolis and Southern. A similar adjustment has already been made in the New York Central proper, and on the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern and the Michigan Central west of Buffalo. The B. & O. rate has been made the basis of settlement in all adjustments.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 17.—There will be no strike of telegraphers, tower men and agents on the Norfolk, New Haven and Hartford railway. At today's conference between the committee of three men and General Manager Higgins a satisfactory settlement was reached. The terms are not officially stated by either side.

WINSTED, Conn., May 17.—Employees of the Central New England railroad have been granted an increase in wages of about 20 per cent., with one hour in any day decreed in the time schedule. The scale is based on the Baltimore and Ohio rate.

CLARA MORRIS BLIND

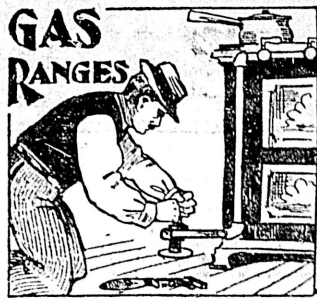
NEW YORK, May 17.—Clara Morris, the famous actress of a generation ago, is said to be threatened with blindness at her home in Yonkers. Some time ago her sight began to fail, and for the past week she is reported to have been almost totally blind. Coincidentally with the failure of her sight she experienced a general breakdown, and her condition is now serious. Two doctors are in daily attendance.

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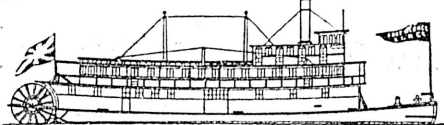
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MINISTER RETURNS FROM THE INTERIOR

Hon. Thomas Taylor of Works Department Convinced That Trunk Road Is Practicable Through to Alberta

After three weeks of almost constant traveling through the Similkameen, part of Yale, and the several districts of the Kootenay, observing all conditions as they relate to the important works coming within the extensive limits of his departmental responsibilities, Hon. Thomas Taylor, minister of public works, reached Victoria by Monday evening's steamer, forty-eight hours ahead of the schedule which his conferees had blocked out for him. The trip, although arduous, apparently has agreed with the minister, and he expresses himself with enthusiasm as to conditions as he observed them in every part of the province visited.

"Throughout the interior, evidences of prosperity are everywhere," said he to the Colonist yesterday, "and industrial development and business growth show that prosperity rests on a sound foundation. I was particularly impressed with the satisfactory conditions in the section of which Creston is the population centre. It is a fruit growing region that is coming to the front with truly remarkable rapidity, while its growth and prosperity are obviously substantial. At Grand Forks also conditions with the fruit growers are all that could be desired, and I saw no signs and heard no complaints of the frosts referred to in newspapers at the coast. It seems like going from home to hear the news in this case."

Through Trunk Road.

"As to the through inter-provincial trunk road, my tour has convinced me that there are no engineering difficulties to prevent the complete and satisfactory consummation of the plan which we have in development. As soon as I return, from Prince Rupert, for which city and Stewart I am leaving about the end of the month, I propose to inaugurate a thorough investigation of the road conditions from the summit of Roach river (the strip over the Hope mountains) to a connection with the Princeton-Nicola wagon road. This is the one link in the big inter-provincial highway which is not yet thoroughly understood."

"When this inter-provincial trunk road scheme has been carried to completion and linked with the Alberta road system at the border, we shall have a first-class highway completely across British Columbia from Vancouver to Alberta—a road suitable for all classes of traffic—driving or motoring—from 750 to 800 miles in length on the mainland; while linked with this, by an inevitable ferryage, will be the new Mill Bay road and the main trunk road system higher up the island, giving an additional 150 miles or thereabouts, so that there will be practically one continuous and magnificent trunk road stretching through Vancouver Island and all the way to Alberta, a thousand miles in length, by traveling which the visitor may enjoy an unsurpassed opportunity to become acquainted with British Columbia in its various phases and characteristics."

SOUNDED LIKE AN INVITATION

Chinaman in Police Court Bore Musical Cognomen—Sikh Gets Two Months—Rock Bay Bridge Once More

"Sing ye!" called the clerk of the police court yesterday morning in an insistent tone.

A distinct pause ensued, towards the close of which a red-eyed little man who was leaning over the rail and who looked as if he had spent the half of his life sleeping and the other half in taking orders from anybody who chose to give them, was about to comply when the sudden resumption of court business saved him. It will never be known now whether he had intended rendering the national anthem or some popular street ballad, such as that touching thing entitled: "Run and Get the Hammer Willie, There's a Fly on Papa's Nose." Sing Ye, an inoffensive appearing Chinaman with a whimsical expression on his face, stood up in the dock in response to the summons which the red-eyed man misinterpreted, and answered to a charge of having supplied firewater to a child of the forest. When the evidence was concluded however the court adjudged Sing Ye not guilty, and he was discharged.

Three separate and distinct interpreters enlisted with their efforts the routine of police court events yesterday. Wing, the Celestial translator, assisted Sing Ye to tell the court his story, and hear the court's decree. Then the scene and the colors changed; yellow and red gave

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Provide Home for Neglected Children



The Children's Aid Society of this city has rented a home to be devoted to neglected children. The urgency of the need of such an institution has been commented upon many times in the police court by the magistrate and in communications to this paper. The home is to be supported by the voluntary contributions of the public. It is located on Fern street, and is in charge of a matron who has been engaged by the society.

A Plea For the Children

A large number of your readers have had their attention called many times of late to the very great need of a home and school where the neglected children of this city could be looked after and taught to be good citizens. That some hearts have been stirred is shown by the voluntary contribution of two philanthropic ladies who offered assistance for the immediate establishment of a juvenile home. The fact that a few nights ago a young lad arrested for some misdemeanor was in order to keep him from hardened criminals placed in the woman's quarters at the lockup,

which were unoccupied, but later in the evening was compelled to share those quarters with a woman drunk and disorderly, who had been brought to the police station, proved that immediate action was necessary, and a place provided where children under sixteen could be cared for until their case was brought before the magistrate, and that place not a prison, but a home, under proper supervision. The Children's Aid Society having confidence in the sympathy and financial support of the public, at once took action, and have today opened a home on Fern street, which is in charge of a matron specially qualified for work among children. Two boys are already under her care, and arrangements are being made for three others to be taken in immediately, all five boys having been waiting to enter as soon as the home was ready for them.

This of course has involved a large expenditure by the Children's Aid Society, who are relying upon the charitable support of the citizens of Victoria to enable the good work to be continued.

In a few days collectors on behalf of the society will make a personal appeal for funds for this purpose.

guaranteed. place to chocolate and black. Lup Singh, a sinuous Sikh, pleaded not guilty to a charge of swatting Sur John Singh (Sur, in this instance, does not denote knighthood) on the head with a heavy iron bar. Captain Moore interpreted in this case evidence in which went to show that the trouble had started when the complainant had threatened to have himself and the accused discharged from the mill where they were employed. The court found Lup Singh guilty and sent him down for two months.

The equilibrium of things was restored yesterday when two more cases of fast driving on Rock Bay bridge netted \$10 for the coffers.

Capt. Worsnop Returning.

OTTAWA, May 17.—Canada's trade with Mexico is gradually growing in importance, and Captain Worsnop, manager of the Canadian-Mexican direct steamship line on the Pacific has great faith in its continual increase. Captain Worsnop was in the city today en route to Vancouver from Great Britain. His mission across the Atlantic was to secure new steamers for the route. At present there are two steamships in the company's employment making monthly sailings between Vancouver, Victoria and Mexican ports. One of these is to be replaced by a larger ship, and it is probable that a third vessel will be added so as to enable the company to make sailings from Vancouver every three weeks.

LACK OF LABOR

HAMPERS WORK

All Men Wanted Cannot Be Secured for Alberni Railroad Extension—"Too Many Drones" says Farmer

While good progress is being made on the Alberni extension of the E. & N. railroad, the work is not going forward as rapidly as the management of the island road would like. H. E. Beasley, superintendent of the line, who is just back after a tour of inspection, reports that the contractors are complaining of a lack of labor. Fully two hundred men could be taken on at standard wages, if they could be secured. Efforts, however, have been made and so far it has been impossible to fill out the gang.

Other arrivals from points along the E. & N. report that the condition is the same in every branch of industry, more especially in agriculture. The farmers cannot get all the men they want. Their plans are being hampered through this unprecedented lack of help. The opening of large sections of new fertile lands is being retarded because of this unfortunate state of affairs. "Talk about the high cost of living," exclaimed a farmer from up the island yesterday, "why, it's only what may be expected as long as the men are so unwilling to get out on the land. That's the trouble in a nutshell. There are too many drones. We in British Columbia, and especially on Vancouver Island, are too fond of a leisurely time,

if we cultivated more of our food stuffs, thus cutting down our imports, prices would drop considerably."

Allied Against Peru

LIM, May 17.—The Peruvian government has received information from what appeared to be reliable sources that Ecuador and Colombia have signed an alliance against Peru. It is also stated that Peru has secured the neutrality of Bolivia.

FOUND IDEAL

CITY HERE

Detroit Man Was Hard to Please But Victoria Met All His Requirements—Is Coming Back

"I have been told by my friends that I am a hard man to please in the matter of my idea of a place of residence. What I wanted was a place where the climate was never very cold and never very hot; where I could have a nice home among congenial people; where I could escape the faults of a big city and the faults of a too provincial town; where I could sleep well and eat well; where I could find first-class fishing and shooting; where I would have pleasant and variegated scenery to rest my eyes and where I would not be out of touch with world events."

As Walter V. Matthews, retired music publisher of Detroit, Mich., and native born Englishman with 33 years American experience, detailed the list of his desires in the rotunda of the Dominion hotel yesterday, his face lighted up with a smile and he waved his hand to emphasize each item.

My friends laughed at me and asked me why I didn't pray for a hasty return to the Garden of Eden. I traveled quite considerably and I didn't find any place that measured up until I happened to come to Victoria a week ago on my way home from California. I didn't know anyone here but I wandered around by myself. I am leaving now but I have made up my mind to come back and I have already formed a plan which will eventually, I think, land me here to stay."

Mr. Matthews had been in California since January 1 spending most of his time at Santa Barbara and Long Beach. He liked the climate there but found Vancouver Island's climate more invigorating. "I think this is one of the nicest places I ever visited," he said as he caught the bus for the steamer.

Railway Man Killed.

ASHCROFT, May 17.—William Ardrossa, a C. P. R. employee attached to the maintenance of way department, was fatally injured and three other railway workmen seriously hurt in a collision which occurred in the railway yards here at two o'clock on Saturday afternoon. The accident was caused by a westbound freight extra over-running her distance in the yards and striking a work train which was waiting for the freight to pass. The injured men were on a flat car which was ahead of the engine of the work train. The engine of the freight train struck the flat car at slow speed, hurling the men from the car.

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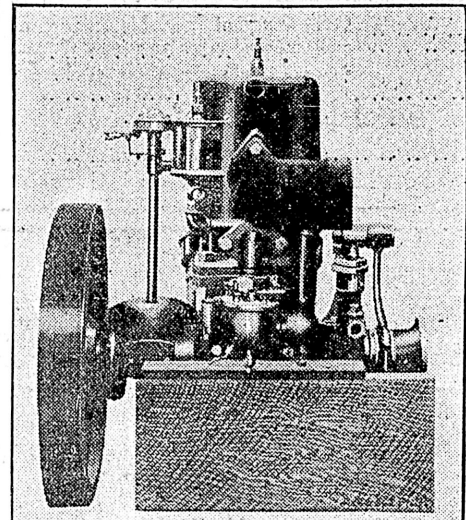
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Trade Commissioners

OTTAWA, May 17.—An order-in-council has been passed appointing W. A. Beddoe, Canadian trade commissioner to New Zealand. The commercial representation of Canada in that country has been vacant since the death of J. S. Larke, whose headquarters were at Sydney, Australia. Henceforth H. D. Ross, commissioner for West Australia, will represent

Canada in the Commonwealth, and the New Zealand field will be in Mr. Beddoe's charge, with headquarters at Auckland.

Roberts

After a long illness Reuben Roberts, a native of Birmingham, England, passed quietly away at the family residence, 29 Menzies street, city, yesterday.

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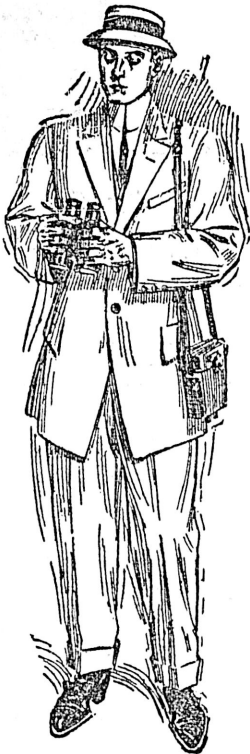
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TRANSIT OF COMET ACROSS SOLAR ORB

Gleaming Fan of Celestial Visi-
tant May Be Spectacular
Sight From Victoria on Next
Monday Evening

The most interesting phase in the
transit of Halley's comet through the
known ether will occur today at 10
p. m., when the visitant from the un-
known will pass between the earth and
the sun. The earth and comet will be
in practically the same straight line
as seen from the sun. This evening
the comet will be approximately 15-
000,000 miles away from the earth.
Since its tail is directed away from
the sun should the tail be more than
15,000,000 miles long and 240,000 miles
wide, the earth must go through it. A
similar occurrence took place in 1861,
when the earth passed through the tail
of the great comet seen in that year,
without any dire results.

It is probable only in mid-Pacific that
the comet's transit across the sun's
disk will be visible. Astronomers and
scientists have gathered at Honolulu in
the hope of observing the comet's
image on the sun's disk.

After this evening the comet will be
visible in the western sky at about
the same point as the 1910 comet was
seen during the latter part of Febru-
ary. It is questionable if the heav-
enly visitant will be seen from Victoria
before the evening of the 20th inst.,
and it may possibly not be visible un-
til the evening of the 23rd inst. On
the former date it will set about an
hour after sunset, setting later each
evening, and on the 23rd inst., setting
about three hours after sunset. On its
first appearance in the western sky the
sunset glow will probably obscure it for
a couple of days, but if the visitant is
as luminous as is stated by scientists,
Victorians are practically certain to
command a splendid view on next Mon-
day evening. On that night between
the hours of 9 and 11 o'clock the
gleaming fan may rise as a splendid
object in the heavens. The tail should
cover thirty degrees in the sky, or a
third of the distance from the horizon
to the zenith.

GRAND POTLACH ON THE RESERVE

Last Great Affair at Present
Taking Place Will Last a
Week—The Claims of Wil-
lie Jack

A grand potlatch is at present tak-
ing place on the Songhees reserve and
to it there have gathered four hun-
dred Indians, representatives of the
coast tribes. That the present will be
the last great potlatch ever to be held
is the statement of Willie Jack and
Alex Peter of the Saanich tribe who
are leaders in the affair. The govern-
ment frowns upon the practice,
with the Indians themselves it is not
as popular as once it was and the
spirit which prompts it is dying out.
But the present one promises to as-
sume grand proportions. For four
years it has been brewing and later-
ly for the past few weeks, the Indians
have been buying blankets, pots and
kettles in readiness for it.

A large number of blankets were
potlatched yesterday afternoon and
one chief from Saanich "went the al-
together" by distributing a consider-
able sum of money, chiefly in dollar
bills.

The last big potlatch here took place
eighteen years ago and as in the pre-
sent case, Indians from the four tribes
of Saanich, those of Beecher Bay,
Chemalzus river, Nanaimo, Sooke,
Valdez, Kuper, Island and elsewhere
are represented. Most of these will
remain until the conclusion of the af-
fair on Monday or Tuesday night.

At the close of the potlatch Willie
Jack promises to spring a sensation.
He will formally state that he is the
lawful heir to the chieftainship of the
Songhees tribe. This he intends to
prove on Tuesday next when he will
bring out the picture flag of his
grandfather, the first chief of the
Songhees.

He states that he has no intention
of attempting to usurp the position of
Chief Cooper nor of stirring up ani-
mosity against him. He only wishes
to make use of this occasion the last
potlatch to bring again before the
members of the tribe, his true ances-
try.

LETTERS TO EDITOR

The Memorial Service.

Sir—I see by your paper that all the
societies very properly are to parade
at the memorial service to be held on
Friday next at the Parliament build-
ings, but I do not see any mention made
of the navy or army or military tak-
ing part in the procession. Surely the
civil authorities are not going to ignore
the men who have sworn to lay down
their lives if necessary, for him whom
the whole Empire is mourning that day.
Of all men who should be asked to
parade on such an occasion the defend-
ers of our country should be asked
first.
E. G. PRIOR.

THEY SEEK

LUMBER OPENING

Two Ontarians Look Victoria Over
on Tour of Coast Securing Busi-
ness.

C. Dubke of Parry Sound, Ont.,
and his brother F. Dubke, of Byng In-
let, Ont. were among the five hun-
dred arrivals in Victoria yesterday.
They went out at once to look over
the prospects here and interviewed
several local lumbermen with a
view to engaging in that business.

"We have been in the lumber
trade in Ontario for some years," said
C. Dubke to the Colonist, "but we
have decided to pull up stakes and
move to this part of the country. We
have not yet decided where we shall
settle but we are having a look at
all the promising places. We have
been favorably impressed with re-
ports of this island and what we have
seen of Victoria bears out the most
optimistic of those reports. We shall
return here later and make a more
extensive investigation of the sur-
rounding country and it is possible
that we shall enter into business
here."

LAUNCH IS BURNED

Fears Are Entertained That Owner
May Have Been Drowned

VANCOUVER, May 17.—On the
beach just south of Slawash rock is
the hull of the gasoline launch Tyce,
burned to the water line and practi-
cally a total loss, and the owner, a
man whose name is given as Barrow,
has not been seen since he left Cook's
slip in the boat on Saturday night.
The wreck of the Tyce was discov-
ered yesterday, and if Barrow had
been saved he would have been seen
around Andy Linton's float or Cook's
slip, where he made his headquarters.
His non-appearance leads waterfront
men to the conclusion that he has
lost his life in the accident.

The Tyce was a ship's lifeboat built
at Hong Kong and constructed of
camphor wood. She was about 25
feet in length.

HEAVY DOCKET AT WESTMINSTER ASSIZE

Five Indictments for Murder
and the Strange Case of an
Infatuated Chinaman Are
Down for Trial

It is expected that the various cases
included in the docket for the Na-
naimo court of assize will be disposed
of this week, thus permitting deputy
attorney-general to also represent the
crown at the New Westminster as-
sise, arranged to open on Tuesday
next, the 24th instant, or (this being
Empire Day) the 25th. Hon. Mr.
Justice Murphy is announced to pre-
side, and the docket is an extensive
one, containing a variety of extra-
ordinary indictments. Of these five
are for murder, in the cases of the
three Wilcox brothers, the Indian
August Charlie, and the Japanese
Kenzo Ichimaru; while Simon George,
another Indian, is charged with shoot-
ing with intent, a Pitt Meadows
rancher named Ford with unlawful
wounding, and a Chinaman, J. C.
Johnnie, with having indicted a let-
ter containing threats of death.

This latter case is likely to afford
considerable amusement for court
room habitués, arising out of the un-
welcome and strongly resented in-
fatuation of the accused, a Chinese
gardener, for Miss Lydia Stickle, the
white schoolmistress at Pitt river.
The Chinaman with sundry floral
souvenirs of his interest, is stated to
have sent the lady a gold watch as
also emblematic of his undying devo-
tion. To this he makes reference in
the curious epistle, the writing of
which has brought him to a prisoner's
cell. As a weird example of epistol-
ary love-making, as well as a curi-
osity of literature, it is worthy of
interest.

The only other item on the New
Westminster assize docket is Rex vs.
Dedul, arson, a case standing over
from the autumnal assize.

LEAGUE CHARGED WITH BREACH OF FAITH

Local Option Body Announces
Its Intention of Invoking
Canada Temperance Act in
Defiance of Its Assurances

Very great surprise is expressed by
public men heretofore neutral on the
temperance question over what is pro-
nounced a deliberate and unpardonable
breach of faith on the part of the Lo-
cal Option League, which has just an-
nounced an intention to invoke the Can-
ada Temperance Act (better known as
the Scott Act) in order to introduce
prohibitory liquor legislation wherever
communities may be induced to sanc-
tion it locally in British Columbia.

The league less than a year ago
agreed with the provincial government
as to a plebiscite to test the temper-
ance sentiment as to the desirability of
adopting the local option principle
throughout British Columbia. Condi-
tions as to this plebiscite were thor-
oughly understood and it was taken on
November 20 last, resulting adversely
to the hopes of the local optionists. Dr.
Spencer, managing superintendent of
the league, at that time declared him-
self satisfied with the expression of
public opinion and declined to carry an
appeal to the courts as to certain run-
nings in connection with the official
count and recount.

Later Attorney General Bowser in-
troduced and the legislature was in-
duced to pass the most drastic and se-
vere license and liquor traffic regula-
tion act on any statute book in Canada.
And again representatives of the Local
Option League expressed themselves as
well satisfied, and announced their in-
tention of seeing the new law given a
fair test before moving further in their
prohibitory crusade.

It would now appear that simultane-
ously with giving these assurances to
the Conservative government of British
Columbia, the League was secretly ap-
pealing to the Liberal government of
the Dominion with a view to securing
such amendments to the Canada Tem-
perance Act as would make its invoca-
tion and application possible in this
province in defiance of and direct an-
tagonism to the accepted result of the
recent plebiscite.

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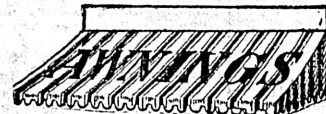
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day upon which the obsequies
of His Late Majesty King Ed-
ward VII., will take place, a
Memorial service will be held at
3 o'clock in the afternoon of that
day on the grounds in front of
the Parliament Buildings, for
the purpose of affording the
public generally an opportunity
of honoring the memory of the
late king, and voicing their
sorrow at the Empire's loss.

All residents of Victoria are
respectfully requested to observe
the ENTIRE DAY as a day of
mourning and abstention from
business.

A. G. MORLEY, Mayor.

City Hall, Victoria, B.C., May
17th, 1910.

This breach of faith is much com-
mented upon and is likely to produce
the future position and activities of the
League with independent and unbiased
British Columbians.

Halifax Men Drowned

HALIFAX, May 17.—The third
fatal boating accident within a week
took place yesterday in the har-
bor here, when John Douglas and
Bert Hellelmon lost their lives while

returning from McNab's Island in a
sail boat. They were going full sail
when the boat struck a breakwater and
capsized.

Changsha Situation

CHANGSHA, May 17.—The sit-
uation here is assuming a more hope-
ful aspect, but even yet foreigners do
not sleep in the city, although many
of them are engaged in business dur-

ing the day. The authorities are
actively pursuing the agitators, many
of whom have been arrested, but
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A REFUGE HOME

We have reference in our news columns to the Refuge Home for young boys, which has been opened in this city by the Children's Aid Society. This Home will be dependent, for the present at least, upon the good offices of kindly disposed people for the money necessary to pay for its maintenance. There is a provincial institution of the same kind at Vancouver, but it is full to its capacity, and a local Home is maintained in that city. The government has not seen its way clear to assist the local Homes, and we can see reasons why it ought not to be expected to do so. If it is necessary to have such institutions in each city, and it seems to be so, the burden of their support might properly fall upon the localities rather than upon the provincial treasury. Possibly by and bye it may seem expedient for the province to come to the assistance of the cities in this respect, but it has not done so yet, and is not likely to do so for the present.

There can be no doubt about the Home being necessary in Victoria. The amount of money needed for its maintenance for a year may not exceed \$1,000; but it would be better to have \$1,500. Any surplus would be in good hands. To a certain extent the Home will be self-supporting, that is as far as the board of some of the inmates is concerned; but rent, light, fuel, water and the salary of the matron must be met from subscriptions. The City Council has not as yet felt able to make any grant for the purpose. We are sure that the citizens will respond freely to the request for donations which will shortly be made.

HIS PLACE IN HISTORY

At the present time we speak of Edward VII. as the Peacemaker and it is certainly in that character that he seems most conspicuous to us. But it does not follow that this is how he will be regarded in the impartial light of history, when men are able to take a wider view of events than is possible to us today. There may be some little act, deemed unimportant at the time and forgotten temporarily, that may prove to be the greatest feature of his reign. For illustration of what we mean it may be mentioned that in the reign of Queen Mary a number of Protestants of no particular consequence fled from England and found their way to Geneva. Here they came under the influence of Calvinism, but their ideas on religious things were somewhat different from those of their more prominent fellow-countrymen, who had taken refuge there. They were sincerely referred to as the Brethren of Purity, and looked upon as of no importance whatever. Yet from that despised company there grew up the great Puritan movement, which changed the whole current of English history, and directly and indirectly became one of the greatest of influences upon the world. When the evidence was being taken by a committee of Parliament as to the condition of things in Quebec, with the view of passing such legislation as was needed after the acquisition of the country by England, there were many witnesses present ready to testify in favor of establishing the English laws and language; but Lord North, then First Minister, had an engagement at a garden party and therefore the committee adjourned without hearing what these witnesses had to say. Possibly if His Lordship had not had such an engagement and had heard the witnesses the history of Canada might have been different. It may be that some act of the late King will appear in the fuller light that time will cast upon it to be of greater importance than those of which we think the most now. But however this may be we may feel well assured that as he was ever mindful of his duty to his high office, the place he will hold in history will be an honorable one.

AN EXODUS

A rather disappointing story comes from St. John. The Telegraph of that city will not be open to the charge of saying anything because it might reflect upon the results of the policy of the Dominion government of which it is a staunch supporter, and therefore when it tells us that last year seven thousand Canadians passed through that city on their way to the United States to make homes there, and that there is now an exodus of that nature of about twenty persons a day, we may feel sure that the case is not at all exaggerated. We do not know that this is necessarily a reflection upon the Liberal policy, but it is a very regrettable state of things, and if any means are possible whereby it can be prevented, they ought to be adopted.

It seems a pity that, with the West calling out for settlers, and with thousands of people entering Canada from the United States, this steady stream of Canadians should be flowing out of the Dominion.

The first step to remedying an evil is to find out the cause of it, and the cause of this exodus is not far to seek. While the Maritime Provinces are progressing, there is not sufficient progress to satisfy the natural longing of ambitious young men. The lure of the great cities draws the young men from the farms, and success that has crowned the efforts of thousands of young Nova Scotians, Prince Edward Islanders and New Brunswickers in New York, Boston and elsewhere in the Eastern States is an incentive for others to follow in their footsteps. Persons unfamiliar with the facts can form no idea of what natives of those provinces have accomplished in the United States. Indeed throughout the northern part of that country the number of successful men from that part of Canada is enormous. They are leaders in finance, commerce, manufactures, literature and in the professions. Of course the majority have not been conspicuously successful; the majority never are; but the failures have been few. These young men carry with them vigorous constitutions, habits of industry and economy, the advantages that come from a good bringing up, and a determination to succeed. They are the best possible material out of which to build a nation. They go to the United States because they are unable to find scope for their energy at home. As a rule they become United States citizens and do their duty in that regard. They and their children are lost to Canada.

These people can be ill spared. Out in the West we are trying to make Canadians out of all sorts and conditions of people, and in the East we are losing Canadians of the best type. What can be done about it? There is not much use in advising them to remain at home. Like most of us in this part of the Dominion have been, they are actuated by the racial instinct of migration. They must go somewhere. It is as natural for thousands of young Eastern Canadians to leave home every year as it is for a swarm of bees to leave the hive. Our own younger people have the same migratory instinct. They would "go West" if they were any West to go to. There is a difference between the young Westerners and the young Easterners. The latter are attracted to the cities. The hum of the crowded streets, the brightness of the electric lights, the rushing crowds attract them. The former seek the edge of things. They are attracted to the long, lonely trails, to the new towns where everything is yet to be done. When the Victoria or Vancouver boy grows restless, he does not seek the cities down the Coast. He picks out one of the score or more of places on the skrimish line of civilization and tries his luck in virgin fields. Our young country-bred men follow their example. A young fellow leaves the farm and the next thing heard from him is that he is doing the work of the pioneer somewhere for which there is no name a year or two ago.

If we could get these fine young "exodizers" from the Maritime Provinces out here to take part in this work of nation-building it would be a great thing for them and a great thing for the country. There are many of them with us, and they are such capital fellows that we want more. They would make the finest kind of pioneers, not to work for others but to build up for themselves after they have been long enough to get acquainted. How are we going to get them? The cost of the journey is to some extent an obstacle, but we do not believe it is the chief one. We think that the most of these young men do not understand what the West has to offer. We are far from wishing to see an effort made to draw away from the Eastern Provinces any of the young men; but seeing that many of them will leave home anyway, we suggest to our Eastern contemporaries that they ought to do what they can to direct their footsteps in this direction. Our contemporary, the Telegraph, reaches thousands of homes in the Maritime Provinces. It is in a position to advise its young readers. It will be safe in telling them that they will find in the West abundant scope for their energy, and a greater field of opportunity than that of the cities of the Eastern States afford. A young fellow in the vanguard of civilization has the finest chance in the world.

A PERIOD OF TENSION.

The announcement is made that Germany proposes to increase her naval preparations. A German writer speaks of the situation as "alarming." He does not mean that there is any present cause for alarm that must be met by the construction of a great navy, but that there is good cause for dread of the outcome of the mad pace in the preparation of armaments. All economists are agreed that Germany cannot go on indefinitely in the course she is pursuing. The strain upon the people is too tense. At a time of profound peace military expenditures are being made at a rate that surpasses anything that was done in the days when Napoleon was at the height of his activity. The people cannot stand it much longer and there seem to be indications that they will not stand it as long as they might.

But the tension is not confined to

Germany. France is preparing with feverish activity for a possible conflict and Britain is forcing naval construction at a speed never before known. Even Austria, without a seaboard that needs defence against any probable enemy is getting a navy ready and Russia has embarked upon a plan of construction that will call for the outlay of hundreds of millions.

Europe today is suffering from the blight of Bismarckism. The great Chancellor laid far more grievous burdens upon the Continent than Napoleon did by all his wars. He began it when he attacked Denmark vainly. He forced Austria into war for no other purpose than to strengthen Prussia, and then he watched his opportunity to descend upon France and deprive her of valued territory. It is idle to say, as some do, that the Empress Eugenie precipitated the Franco-Prussian war. France simply fell into a trap that Bismarck had cunningly set. When William of Prussia was crowned Emperor of Germany the culmination of Bismarck's plan was reached, but not all its consequences. Europe is laboring under them today.

Unfortunately no relief seems to be in sight, except by the breaking down of the whole machinery, which makes such vast expenditures possible. The people, after a time, may refuse to pay. Either this must happen or relief must be sought in war. It will be a strange commentary upon Twentieth Century Christian civilization if the nations must seek in bloodshed respite from the burden of an armed peace.

"Roosevelt and the visiting sovereigns" is the way the telegrapher puts it.

Today the comet will be nearer the earth than it has been or will be on its present visit to the Sun. It is possible that its tail may be visible in the western sky at sunset. The nucleus will be 11,000,000 miles away.

That story of the roasting alive of negro prisoners in a stockade in Alabama is not pleasant reading apart from the horrible nature of the tragedy. One would like to feel sure that if the prisoners had been white men they would have been permitted to perish.

The latest ground for divorce has been taken in Seattle, where the 20-year-old daughter of a man swore that her father was of lower social rank than her mother, and hence life with him was no longer endurable. The young lady or her mother made no objection to receive alimony from this inferior person.

It is amusing to see the evening paper reproducing in a more contentious form the arguments against a prolonged occupation of the Songhees Reserve, which it used to denounce the Colonist for advancing. Our contemporaries realize that it has made a mess of things. By and bye, when all the facts come out it will more fully appreciate its conduct.

The respect shown to the late King by the populace of London is an eloquent testimony to the esteem in which he was held by his people. Whatever may be the verdict of posterity as to his qualities as a king, it can never be denied that he was closer to the hearts of his people than any man that ever sat upon England's throne.

There will be a total eclipse of the moon on the 23rd inst., the totality beginning at 9 minutes past 9 in the evening and ending 47 minutes later. If the sky is clear the whole of the comet ought to be visible, and if so every one who can ought to see it, for the chance of such another spectacle occurring in the lifetime of any person now living is exceedingly improbable.

The conclusion of the transaction between the E. & N. Railway Company and the American Securities Company of New York, whereby the latter acquired a large area of very valuable timber land in the vicinity of Cowichan Lake, and undertakes to construct a railway from the lake to tide water, is an incident of very great interest. The undertaking of the company to build the railway as well as a mill at the Coast is proof that the land has not been bought for speculation, but for immediate utilization. This means that there will be an important town somewhere between this city and the mouth of the Cowichan river. A glance at the map will show that this town can be reached from this city in one of several ways, one of them being by steamer from the northern end of the Saanich Peninsula. This will afford another reason for the extension of the tramway line through Saanich. Thus are all the various interests on the Island more or less welded together. We mention this matter now for the sake of reminding the people of this city to be up and doing to take advantage of the new opening for business. We may be very confident that Vancouver will be on the alert, but this city has advantages that cannot be overcome, if we do not sleep upon our chances. Victoria ought never to lose sight of the great importance of securing as much as possible of the nearby trade. This new enterprise is going to make a vast difference to a very considerable area and we should be prepared to take advantage of what is going to happen.

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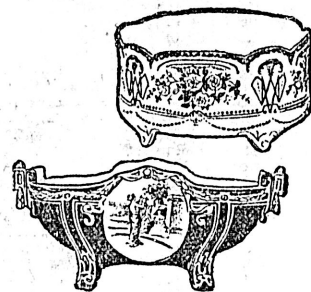
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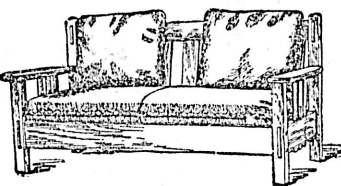
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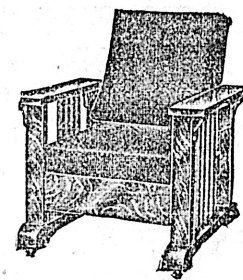
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Mr. G. B. Nagle from Revelstoke is a visitor in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lowswell of Victoria are visitors in Vancouver.

Mrs. J. Cornick left yesterday by the North Coast Ltd., for Chicago.

Miss Hall left this morning for the mainland.

Mr. F. Burnett was among the passengers to Vancouver this morning.

Mr. W. W. Grime was among the passengers from Vancouver yesterday.

Major and Mrs. Beale are staying at the Dallas hotel.

Mrs. and Miss Hennington are visitors in town from Duncans.

Mr. Richard Marsh from New Westminster is in the city on a business visit.

Mrs. Duncan Smyth from Port Angeles is the guest of friends in Victoria.

Mrs. and Miss Pentrich from Winnipeg are among the many visitors in town from the prairie city.

Dr. and Mrs. E. Hall have returned to Vancouver after an enjoyable visit to Victoria.

Mr. John Walborn from Bellingham is spending a few days in town on a business visit.

Mr. H. Lovick was among the passengers to Vancouver by the steamer Charmer this morning.

Mr. F. H. Clendenning, general freight agent of the C.P.R., at Vancouver, returned home this morning.

Mr. D. W. Hanbury was among the passengers to Vancouver this morning by the steamer Charmer.

Mr. A. Lineham returned from the mainland yesterday by the steamer Charmer.

Mr. Gavin H. Burns returned from the mainland yesterday by the steamer Princess Charlotte.

Mr. M. J. King returned from Vancouver yesterday by the steamer Princess Charlotte.

Mr. H. Knobel, engineer for Mackenzie & Mann, who recently returned from Portland Canal, after locating the line of the railroad to the mines from

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Stewart, left for the mainland this morning.

Mrs. A. W. Harvey has returned from Vancouver and is staying at The Angela.

Mr. John Burnaby arrived in town on Monday, and will spend some days here on a business visit.

Mrs. George M. Watt, Dunelm, Manzie street, will not receive on Friday 20th but will be at home on Friday 27th.

Mrs. Frank J. Sehl, Columbus Villa, Quadra street, will receive today, (Wednesday) and will not again be at home for the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker from Windsor, Ont., who are spending their honeymoon in B. C. are staying for a few days in Victoria.

Mr. Joseph Smart left yesterday by the Northern Pacific railroad and the Cunard liner Lusitania, on a trip to England.

Mr. J. H. Loutit, of the Lake of the Woods Milling Co., arrived from Vancouver by the steamer Princess Charlotte yesterday.

Mrs. Arthur Watson, who has been in town visiting relatives, left today on her return to her home in Montreal.

Archdeacon and Mrs. Collinson, from Vancouver, are spending a few days in town, and are guests at the Balmoral.

Mr. W. Finlayson and son, from London, England, are recent arrivals in Victoria, and are guests at the Empress.

Dr. J. F. Francis and his nephew, Mr. T. R. Francis, who are touring Canada, are at present spending a few days at Oak Bay.

Mr. A. T. Goward, local manager of the B. C. Electric Railway Company, returned yesterday afternoon from Vancouver.

Mrs. (Dr.) Gibbs, of Vancouver who has been spending the last few days in the city, returned home yesterday afternoon by the Princess Victoria.

Mrs. Robert Donald, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. R. C. Walters, at Foul Bay, for the past few weeks, returned yesterday to her home in Spokane.

Mrs. J. M. Mellis, 113 Ladysmith St. will be receiving today the third Wednesday in honor of her guest, Miss J. E. Hartley of Lethbridge, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Massingham and Miss A. Massingham from Dublin, Ireland are amongst the most recent visitors in town from the old country.

Miss Maud Booth left yesterday by the Northern Pacific railroad for Portland, and Miss Amy Booth left for Arlington, Washington, over the same road.

Among Seattle visitors in town are Messrs. F. Fredericks, A. Tompkins, T. Hall, L. D. Johnson, Robert Hall, Mrs. J. Ancorn, Messrs. O. H. Selfert, W. C. Morrison, George Feakes, W. L. Cooke, Miss Lowe, Mrs. F. P. Loftus, Mrs. P. W. Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Pearce.

Among many Californian visitors now in town are Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hayes, San Jose; Mr. A. C. Hayes and Miss R. C. Hayes, San Jose; Mr. and Mrs. W. Duncans, San Francisco, and Captain and the Misses Wallace, from Santa Barbara.

The marriage of Miss Gladys Mabel Calder, of Victoria, to Mr. Harry Cecil Bennett, of Stewart, was solemnized at Holy Trinity church, Seattle, on Wednesday afternoon of last week. Rev. Herbert Gowen officiating. The youthful bride, who looked very sweet in a smart tailored gown of grey cloth with hat to match, and carried a lovely shower bouquet of bridal roses, was given away by her uncle, Mr. William Stewart, of Edinburgh, Scotland. Amongst those present were the bride's cousin, Miss Vera Macfarlane, of Victoria, who acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. and Mrs. Kaye, of Vancouver, and her aunt, Mrs. Lucian Agassiz, of Tacoma. After a short honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Bennett will proceed to Stewart, where they will make their home.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR MEMORIAL SERVICES

Band of Fifth Regiment to Attend Parliament Square Ceremony in Memory of the Dead King

Present indications are that the open air memorial service to be held in Parliament Square at 3 p. m. on Friday will be largely attended. The band of the Fifth Regiment will be in attendance and will render fitting music. Invitations have been issued to the military and naval forces in the city, to prominent citizens and dignitaries, and to all the secret societies. The latter, which have a personnel 3,000 strong, will attend, meeting on Douglas street at 2:30 p. m., and marching to Parliament square. Positions for the different societies have been assigned at the service. The memorial service will last an

NO SPORTS ON 23RD

The school sports fixed for the 23rd inst. have been called off owing to the death of His Majesty King Edward VII. This is the meet at which students representing the different local educational institutions decide which is entitled to hold the Swinerton cup. It will not take place again until 1911.

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hour, the address being delivered by Captain Clive Phillips-Wolley. A number of the clergymen of the city will attend and take part in the service.

Tomorrow, two children's memorial services will be held in the Metropolitan Methodist church. The first, scheduled for 1:15 p. m., will be attended by the children from North Ward, South Park, Victoria West, Kingston street, Rock Day and Hillside schools. The second service is arranged for 2:15 p. m., when the children from High school, Boys' Central, Girls' Central, and Spring Ridge will be present.

The clergymen to take part in the children's memorial services are the Rev. G. W. Dean, the Rev. W. Leslie Clay, the Rev. Hermon Carson, and the Rev. Mr. Stevenson.

Option Has Week to Run

The option which the board of school trustees holds on the Rockland Park site, which has been chosen tentatively as the location of the new High School, will expire in a week's time.

OBITUARY NOTICES

Whitehouse.

The funeral of Joseph Wm., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whitehouse, took place yesterday (Tuesday) at 2:15 from the parlors of the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Co., and later at Christ Church, where Rev. Mr. Barton, conducted services for the young. The interment took place in Ross Bay cemetery.

Stockham

There passed away yesterday morning at his late residence, Fisguard street, Mr. Frederick Stockham, aged 74 years. Deceased had been caretaker of the Masonic Temple for a number of years. The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 p. m. from the Masonic Temple, which order will conduct the services. The remains are now at the Hanna parlors.

Roberts

At the family residence, 29 Menzies street, the death of Mr. Reuben Roberts occurred yesterday morning. Deceased was a native of Birmingham, England. He leaves to mourn his loss a widow, three daughters and one son. The funeral will be held from the residence, Friday afternoon, at 12:45, and will proceed to the Congregational church, where a service will be conducted by Rev. Hermon Carson.

Andernach.

The remains of the late Otto Andernach who was drowned some weeks ago near the outer wharf through falling off the tug Tussler were laid to rest in Ross Bay cemetery yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted in the chapel of the B. C. Funeral Furnishing company, Government street by the Rev. Mr. Gibbich of the German Lutheran church and was very largely attended, the chapel being taxed to its capacity. The service was a very impressive one during which the hymns "Jesus Lover of My Soul" and "Abide With Me" were sung. The German society attended in a body. The casket and hearse were covered with beautiful floral offerings, tokens of respect to the deceased and the bereaved family. The following gentlemen officiated as pallbearers: L. Hafer, O. Eden, W. H. Benerle, K. Selfert, E. Steele, L. Burmeister.

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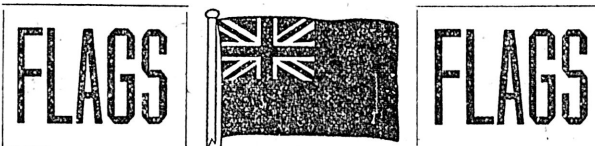
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NEWS OF THE CITY

Meeting Called Off

Owing to a quorum of the city council failing to turn up last evening the joint meeting between the mayor and aldermen and board of school trustees fell through. The meeting had been called to discuss the advisability of placing the new High school on the Spring Ridge gravel pits. All the school trustees were in attendance, and a number of Spring Ridge residents, but only the mayor and three aldermen put in an appearance.

Epworth League Flourishing

The regular weekly meeting of the Epworth League, of the Metropolitan Methodist church, was held on Monday evening, the missionary department having charge of the programme. At the business meeting held at the close of the service, the reports of the various officers were read. These showed the league to be in a very flourishing condition. There are at present some fifty members enrolled.

Accommodation Limited

In connection with the memorial services for his late Majesty, King Edward VII., announced to be held on Friday morning next at Christ church cathedral, an intimation has been made through the lieutenant-governor's office, that two persons have been reserved for the accommodation of members of the provincial civil service who may desire to attend. As there are several hundred members of the service, the extent of the reservation is the subject of considerable comment in the various public offices.

Seek Work on Farms

An unusually large number of applications by young Englishmen for work on the farms of Vancouver island is noted by the officials of the Provincial Bureau of Information, who say that the work-seekers are of all classes and grades, experienced and otherwise. The majority are wisely advised to try the "western" column of the newspaper, but it would be to the advantage of any requiring farm assistance to let that fact be known at the department, in which case all parties would possibly be pleased and benefitted.

Government Appointments

The appointment of Arthur W. Chambers as night watchman at the Vancouver court house has been announced. No choice has yet been made as to the government agent at Fort George, although it has been stated in various interior newspapers that Mr. Walker will very probably be transferred to that post from Barkerville, where he has proven himself a useful and efficient official. Mr. F. C. Campbell, for some time past acting as government agent at Fort St. John, in the Peace River section of British Columbia, has been recalled, and is not yet assigned to his new scene of duty.

Building Permits Issued.

Building permits have been issued to Mr. McKinney for the erection of a one storey dwelling on Princess avenue at a cost of \$1,750; to Mr. E. M. Tracksell for a two storey, 12-roomed dwelling of frame character with concrete foundation on Foul Bay road costing \$10,500; to Mr. C. H. Tite for a one storey frame dwelling at the corner of Belmont and Gladstone streets costing \$2,400; and to Mr. H. Bowen for a two-storey 10-roomed dwelling on Rockland avenue of frame construction with stone basement for \$20,000.

May Postpone Murder Trial

It is quite possible that the trial of the sensational Nanaimo murder case in which William Holmes stands accused of the killing of one Gus Carlson may be postponed until next week—or even later—such action resting within the discretion of Deputy Attorney-General Maclean, who is representing the Crown at the Coal City session of assize. Mr. Griffin, of Vancouver, who is appearing in the prisoner's behalf, has telegraphed the attorney-generals department, requesting that the case stand over for a week in consequence of his (Mr. Griffin's illness), and it is quite probable that this concession will in courtesy be shown counsel.

Fire Chief's Report

Fire Chief Davis's report for the month of April shows that the fire loss for the month only amounted to \$5. A total of 13 alarms were turned in, so that the loss is of an unusually small character. The fire chief recommends the purchase of another horse for use in the city service truck. He points out that the new camps ordered for the men have arrived, and when the new uniforms are finished and inspected, will be issued out to the members. Daily drills on the ladders, laying the hose, and Pomper fire saving exercises are being held. Fire Chief Davis states that the conduct of the men is to be commended.

EXECUTIVE IN SESSION

Stewart's Needs Considered and Delta Drying Proposals Discussed

A short and informal meeting of the provincial executive was held yesterday, at which some few matters of especial urgency were taken up, one being an application of the Brooks-Scanlon Lumber Co., and another the question of sanitary conditions at Stewart, brought to the attention of the government a week or so ago by Mr. Harry Smith, acting as a delegate of Stewart citizens. The matter now in the hands of Hon. Dr. Young, head of the provincial health department, who will give it immediate attention. The government has arranged to contribute \$10,000 towards the cost of the gulfside dyke improvements undertaken by the people of Delta, and which in their entirety will involve the expenditure of approximately \$50,000. The presentation of all the incidental circumstances constituted the special business at the capital of a deputation introduced by Mr. Frank J. Mackenzie, M.P.P., about a fortnight ago. It is expected that the decision of the government in respect to the petition asking for the appointment of a second royal commission to enquire into the construction of the Smith's Hill reservoir and other Victoria waterworks matters will be announced next week, while a large accumulation of executive business is listed for disposal at the meeting of the cabinet which will be held on the 31st instant.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., May 17, 1910:
SYNOPSIS.

The barometer remains abnormally high along the coast and fair weather is general with the exception of rain in Cariboo. The temperature has risen throughout the Pacific slope. Showers have occurred in Northern Alberta and portions of Manitoba.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	45	71
Vancouver	49	68
New Westminster	48	70
Kamloops	51	78
Barkerville	31	52
Fort Simpson	38	59
Atlin	32	42
Dawson, Y. T.	31	46
Calgary, Alta.	46	77
Winnipeg, Man.	28	68
Portland, Ore.	54	82
San Francisco, Cal.	54	61

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Wednesday:

Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warm during the day.
Lower Mainland: Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warm during the day.

TUESDAY.

Highest	71
Lowest	45
Mean	58
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Leave via Montreal, May 7.
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NEWS OF THE CITY

St. John's Guild

The garden party and sale of work that was to have been held in the Rectory grounds of St. John's church on the 14th of June has been postponed to June 21st on account of the mourning for the late King.

Campaigner's Association

The monthly meeting of the British Campaigners' association, which was to have been held tomorrow evening, has been postponed for one week—until the evening of the 26th inst.—at the A.O.E. hall.

Time Has Been Extended

Mr. F. C. Gamble, provincial public works engineer, has given official notice that the time for receiving competitive designs for the artistic laying out of the grounds of the new Comptium Retreat has been extended to and including Monday, June 8 next.

Theosophical Lecture.

Mr. F. A. Barnes of Seattle is delivering a course of free lectures on occult subjects at the Balmoral Annex Port Street. This evening he will speak on Reincarnation and Karma, and all who are in any way interested in such matters are cordially invited to attend.

Christian Endeavor Societies Meet

This evening in the Centennial Methodist church there will be a rally of all young people's societies of the Christian Endeavor in the city. The address of the evening will be given by Mr. C. C. Michener and a portion of the programme will be in the hands of the provincial C. E. executive who will outline plans for the coming convention in this city from Aug. 11 to 13.

Renewing Mourning Colors

Preliminary to the holding of the mass memorial service for his late majesty, King Edward VII., on the Parliament grounds, the decorations of the front of the government buildings proper are being renewed in purple and black, and in a manner distinctly creditable to the artistic instincts of the decorators. The work will be completed today, and is well worthy admiring attention.

Circus Is Coming

The heart of childhood will shortly be rejoiced by the appearance in Victoria of the Sells-Flote circus, a first advance herald of which visited Victoria yesterday. In consequence of the difficulty of securing grounds Victoria has not been visited by a circus during several years past, so that the tented show now headed this way, and due to pitch canvas here about the middle of June, should reap a golden harvest.

Sentences at Kamloops Assize

Advices have been received at the attorney-general's department of the sentences passed by His Lordship Mr. Justice Gregory at the conclusion of the Kamloops assize. Narcisse, convicted of wounding, was given one year's imprisonment at hard labor; Verville, for cattle stealing, a similar twelve months' sentence; and Lovell, for stealing, two years and six months. Theft cases are markedly increasing in the Kamloops district, a circumstance to which the grand jury directed particular attention in their presentment.

Issue of the Camosun

The May issue of the Camosun, the publication of the local High School and College is out. The number is replete with articles of interest not only to members of the school, but also to outsiders. The editor has contributed a short article on school life and good citizenship. There is also a long letter from Mr. Cuthbert Holmes, a former pupil at the school, but now a student of Balliol College, Oxford. An article by Harold Beckwith on "Athletics at Old Mc Gill," with the Alumni page and the other regular features, complete a most interesting number.

PUBLIC MOURNING DEFINED

Involves No Wearing of Arm Bands by the Population Generally

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cent lamented death of the sovereign, King Edward VII. In certain quarters it is interpreted as a call to all loyal subjects to don mourning arm bands, in accordance with custom prevailing in the Old Country. It is not, however, by any means so interpreted by the heads of government in this province, by whom it is pointed out that, in addition to the half-masting of the flags throughout the province, and the adoption of black-edged stationery in the various government offices during the prescribed period, the observance of mourning means merely the cessation of all official or social functions, save those of the most informal and private character.

MARKET COMMISSIONER

Goes to Prairies to Advise Fruit Growers of State of Market There.

Mr. J. C. Metcalfe, of Hammond, as market commissioner appointed by the Provincial Government, has left for the Northwest Provinces, where he will continue and further supplement the work so successfully inaugurated by him last season, in investigating transportation and marketing problems to which to ship, glut which may occur at various places, conditions in which fruit shipments arrive, and generally such matters and things as are likely to help the grower and the shipper by all means possible towards realizing the best possible prices upon their produce.

The output of fruit promises to be unusually large throughout British Columbia this season, and there will be a very considerable quantity available for shipment to the prairie provinces.

This year Mr. Metcalfe will report both by letter and wire to the Department of Agriculture, from which department the information collected by him will be immediately distributed through all secretaries of farmers' institutes, boards of trade, fruit growers' exchanges and associations and the press, these in turn disseminating the information as effectively as possible to the individual growers and shippers.

It is anticipated that the action of the Provincial Government in sending Mr. Metcalfe on this work will be productive of much good to the fruit industry, and materially assist towards the establishment of British Columbia fruits in the markets of the Canadian middle west.

FAMOUS INVENTOR ON WAY HERE

Dr. Alexander Graham Bell Taking
Longed for Holiday at Last.

Letters and telegrams which have been received here for Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, the inventor of the telephone and the inventor of a Canadian flying machine, indicate that he will arrive in Victoria very shortly. Dr. Bell was expected last Sunday but owing to delays en route he did not keep the original appointment. Dr. Bell has long contemplated a trip around the world which his invention had done so much to benefit. Worldly success had been his, honor had been his and deserved success. But he craved for an easy, holiday, and began his present sort of journey circling the globe. Only one thing intervened; the man who had conquered electricity and harnessed it to one of its most helpful loads had become, in turn, the servant of his own brain. Work, ever pressing work that he must do himself kept Dr. Bell a prisoner. A year or more ago his task seemed to be well done and then the problem of the flying machine beckoned to him and he followed. He perfected a machine on original lines and began his experiments. Then he needs must remain on the ground until the success of the machine was assured. At last the final touch has been given and Dr. Bell is off on the first lap of his world tour.

Dr. Bell will sail from Victoria for Australia on the 20th of this month. Up to the present time his programme is indefinite as far as Victoria is concerned. His friends here do not know whether he will be here for a few days or a few hours. Mr. A. W. McCune has been known to Dr. Bell for a long time and whose wife is a distant relation of the inventor, will entertain him while here.

SOLVING SERVANT PROBLEM

Sixty Scotch Lassies Arrive to Go Into Domestic Service in Province

Somewhat delayed en route, or at all events about a fortnight behind their announced date of arrival, sixty bonnie Scotch lassies, comprising the first contingent of assisted female emigrants to assist in the solution of the domestic labor problem under the patronage of the Salvation army, are expected to reach Vancouver today, they having passed through Winnipeg on Sunday last, westward bound. The newcomers crossed on the steamship "Gramplan," which seems a somewhat appropriate name, as they are almost exclusively Scotch girls of good old Highland stock. They were informed on voyage by wireless of the death of King Edward, and returned a message of deepest sympathy, receiving a grateful reply from the stricken queen mother ere they docked at St. John. Envoys and Mrs. Morgan, in charge of the party until their delivery at the new home which is just nearing completion, for the accommodation of this and future colonization parties, at Vancouver. It is understood that all, or practically all, of the new domestics, have been already applied for by Victoria and Vancouver housekeepers. Col. Mann, who has just returned from a crusading tour along the Skeena as far as Kispiox, is at Vancouver to meet the newly arriving immigrants.

Attention, Empress!

Empress Athletic Club's members, who are interested in baseball, are requested to attend a meeting which has been called for this evening at the rooms. It is the intention to organize a team and discuss the season's plans.

Practice Tonight

The Beacon Hill ball team will hold a full practice tonight at 6.30 sharp. All players are requested to be on hand, as the Cloon line, of Vancouver, will be over here on the afternoon of the 24th. It is evident that all players be in the best of shape.

PICKED LACROSSE TEAMS PERFORM

In a match between lacrosse teams picked from the Cloverdale, North Ward and Victoria West teams at the Royal Athletic park last evening "A"

twelve was successful by a score of 4 to 1. This was a test game before the selection committee for the purpose of giving the matter an opportunity to choose Victoria's team for the provincial amateur league game with Vancouver on the 24th inst. A general practice of the Victoria West players will take place on Thursday evening at the park, and on Friday there will be another trial contest, after which the general twelve will be named.

AMUSEMENTS

Damrosch Orchestra

Sara Anderson, the soprano for the spring tour of the Damrosch orchestra, laid at a single stroke the foundation of a substantial fame, by her remarkable singing at the Worcester Festival in 1899. Her appearance on that occasion at the age of eighteen, was one of those phenomenal and instantaneous successes that happens but rarely, and which bring forth unreserved praise from audience and critics. Her voice, her personality and her art, all combined to impress the great audience that in the unknown and untried singer was one before whom lay a brilliant career. This promise was destined to be amply fulfilled. The young singer was at once besieged with engagements, and for three years, won signal successes in song recital oratorio and as soloist with the principal American orchestras.

Madame Anderson then went to Europe for operative experience, and repeated her American triumphs on every hand. With a repertoire of forty odd operas, she sang at the principal opera houses of Europe, delighting everywhere with her artistic singing and magnificent appearance. Her travels have taken her to England, Germany, France, Italy, Austria and Australia.

When it was announced that she was to return for a tour of her native land, she was eagerly sought on every hand, and so many engagements were demanded that her stay in America is to be lengthened beyond the original plan. She will be heard at the Victoria theatre on Tuesday, May 24.

Miss MacLachlan

The Boston Journal has the following to say of Miss MacLachlan, who will appear at the Victoria Theatre, Monday, May 23rd, under the auspices of the St. Andrew's Pipers' Band: "Miss MacLachlan drew from her audience applause such as falls to the lot of few singers. When she gave the stirring martial air 'WV a Hundred Pipers' the audience went wild. After jumping on chairs and waving their arms, shouting like mad, and for seven or eight minutes the applause was absolutely terrific. There were fully 5,000 people present."

Pantages Theatre

Helen Lowe, the sweet voiced singer in classic and popular selections; Marker Bros., musical comedians and exponents of advanced minstrelsy, presenting a cyclonic concert of mirth and melody; Burke and Burke, in their laugh creating sketch, "The Messenger and Maid;" Pearl Lester, singing comedienne; illustrated ballad and motion pictures all together make a vaudeville programme at the Pantages that should more than please the most exacting amusement seeker.

Majestic Theatre.

A set of moving pictures prepared by micro-photography, by the Urban Trading Co., of London, will be shown at the above theatre Wednesday and Thursday. The films used as subjects are magnified till they appear as large as Plymouth Rock hens. Their breeding places in masses of refuse are shown, and their development, always under the most unsanitary conditions, through various stages until the perfect fly is formed.

A second series of films makes plain how infection is carried, by picturing an insect that has just alighted on some germ-reeking spot, crawling over a sugar-bowl or an infant's feeding bottle.


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New Grand Theatre

Mlle La France, the terpsichorean artist opens the show at the Grand this week with a dancing turn that is worth going a long, long way to see. The petite and graceful dancer leads the bill for art and beauty, and has stage effects that make the act exciting and bewitching. Tom Haverley and Corinne Wells are in a good song and dance turn, "Mr. Piker and Miss Kidder telling all the race track news from the view of the losing better. Their act is one laugh. Miss Bessie Bacon and company play in "Deborahs Wedding Day," and Hamilton Hill sings well three songs in a baritone voice, while Loro and Payne have a specialty in acrobatics that is a winner. Thomas J. Price, the illustrated song singer, and the moving pictures are up to the usual standard of the Grand.

Mr. A. S. Goodeve, M. P., ascribes prevailing depressed conditions in Kootenay to the fact that the residents invest too large a portion of their available money in coast speculations.



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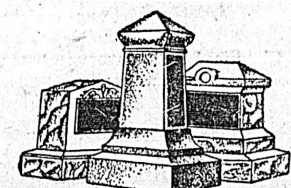
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CANADIAN RUNNER IN THE OLD LAND

Cotter Expects to Be First or Very Near Top in Next Saturday's Marathon in England

TORONTO, May 16.—Dick Baker, trainer of Eddie Cotter, the Canadian Marathoner now in England for the big English amateur Marathon race from Windsor to Stamford Bridge, writes us follows to Lou Marsh of The Star sporting staff:

Dear Lou,—Eddie and I arrived quite safe and sound. Our training quarters are at Southall, Middlesex, midway on the course, so we train both ways. We walked over part of the course today. We have now settled down to real work. Barrett, last year's winner, is favorite, and according to Amner, of Polytechnic, is coming along strong. He has not run a race since he won this race last year. They are saving him for this race. Andrews says if the day is fine he will knock another five minutes off last year's time. I guess we will knock off six minutes; five will not be enough for us. Clark, the Scotchman, who made a good showing last year, has again entered, and there is also one entry from South Africa. Andrews likes the look of Cotter, as he says he is built for the distance. He also added that Cotter will have his work cut out to win, although, if Cotter won, it would be popular. He would like it to go to the colonies. It would cause more interest. I will send you a full list of the entries when I get them. We are running part of the course tomorrow morning, and walking part in the afternoon. It certainly is a fine course and fast.

Note—The English Marathon, in which Cotter participates, will take place next Saturday.—Sporting Editor.

CHARLOTTE'S FAIL TO FILL ENGAGEMENT

A soccer match was to have been played between the representatives of the steward's departments of the ferry boat, Princess Charlotte, and the Alaskan liner, Princess Royal, last evening at Beacon Hill. The latter were on hand at the time arranged with a large number of enthusiasts who had come to cheer the combatants. The Princess Charlotte's men, however did not put in an appearance and the game, perforce, had to be cancelled.

VANCOUVER'S TEAM SMART AND KEEN

Mainland Amateur Lacrosse Bunch Look Forward With Confidence to Scalping Victoria's Twelve

VANCOUVER, May 16.—A fine bunch of stick handlers are working out these days under the colors of the Vancouver Athletic club and if Con Jones' professional aggregation do not fulfill the hopes of the city so far as the world's championship is concerned the odds seem on the V.A.C. that they will carry off the senior amateur championship of the province this season. There are twenty as useful lads at the call of that institution as can well expect to belong to one club and there will not be a match when they will not enter the game physically fit to stand the pace however hot. They have the club gym at their disposal, the tank in which to take a refreshing dip, trainers who understand their duties, and a bunch of friends who are willing to root with all their heart.

The twenty include the cream of those intermediate clubs who were operating a couple of seasons ago—Maple Leafs, Mount Pleasant and the V.A.C.—and they will be led by Struthers Gunn, whose lieutenant will be "Punch" Burns. The executive officers were selected earlier in the season and this week the captaincy was left to be filled by the players. They elected the popular Struthers and the latter has an able lieutenant in Burns.

They are already in fine shape for the first match which will be played at Victoria on May 24. Victoria is making preparations for a proper opening of the lacrosse season there and the V.A.C. are always popular visitors. The boys are working out on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at Ereton Point and they are served with a tasty supper after each workout. In every way the officers are trying to cultivate the best team spirit and they look like making good in that direction.

The men working out are: Struthers Gunn, Burns, G. Gunn, McDonald, Donohue, Calder, E. Matheson, Peacock, Frazer, Geo. Murray, Bob Murray, C. Plerhaller, M. Plerheller, McQuaig, Murphy, Wright, Davidson and Fowler. They are likely to make the amateurs of Westminster hustle lots.

MANY ASPIRANTS FOR FIRST DAY

New Material Being Tried Out by Manager Wattalet for Next Saturday's Baseball Match With Spaldings

When the Spaldings, of Seattle, come here Saturday they will find awaiting them a different looking lot of ball tossers wearing Victoria's colors than faced the Circle W. and Pontiac nines. This time, for sure, the

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During the last couple of nights Manager Wattalet and Capt. Surplis have had their boys out drilling. It is probable that there will be a change in the handling of a first base. Ballantyne, who played for Vancouver under John McCloskey; Abrahams, a husky with an intimate knowledge of the diamond, and a California hustler, are among the new ones who have been tempted to don uniforms by the warm weather. They are all aspirants for the initial bag and other infield places and, possibly, one or more will be seen in action this week-end.

The Spaldings are the fastest outfit that has been brought to the city thus far this season. They are a combination of several first class amateur aggregations and, unquestionably, will give the home lads, no matter how fast they work, something to do every minute.

Betting More Even.

The presence in San Francisco of Jack Johnson has changed betting on the fight between the present heavy-weight champion and Jim Jeffries at least to the extent that Jeffries is now quoted at 10 to 7 favorite instead of 10 to 6, at which price betting opened in the Bay City. It is announced that considerable money was placed at 10 to 6, but it has all been covered at these odds and the Jeffries money is going on at 10 to 7. Now that the dusky champion has started training indications are that the price will recede to evens.

Langford Wins

NEW YORK, May 17.—Sam Langford, the Boston negro, punished Al Kublak, the Michigan heavy-weight, so severely tonight that the referee was forced to stop the scheduled ten round bout at the Fairmount A. A. in the second round. Kublak outweighed the negro by 50 pounds, but the negro fought with such terrific body blows that the white man suffered badly. In the second round he floored Kublak for the count of four and the crowd called to have the bout stopped.

SCHEDULE FOR THE ALBION CLUB

Series of Cricket Matches Local Team Has Outlined for 1910 — Benedicks to Meet Bachelors Saturday

The season's sport has been systematically outlined by officials of the Albion Cricket club. It has been decided that next Saturday the match between the Benedick and Bachelor players, which was postponed owing to the death of King Edward VII., shall take place. This will be followed on the 24th inst. with an all-day game against Nanaimo, on the Beacon Hill grounds.

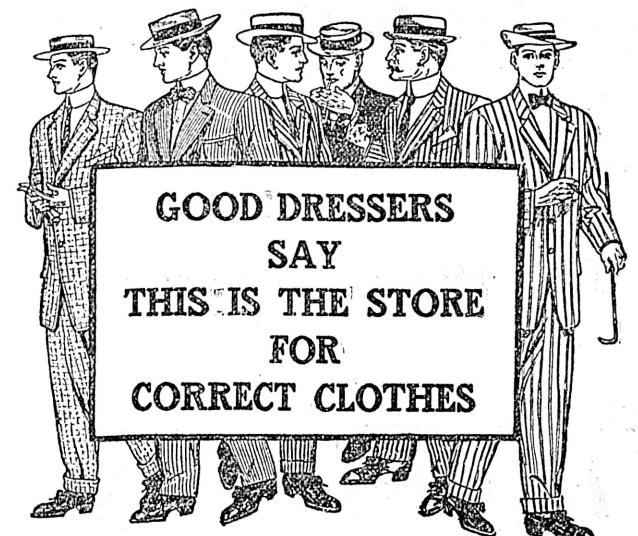
The Schedule

Appended is the complete schedule:
May 14.—Garrison, away.
May 14.—Saaneich, home.
May 21.—Club Match, Married vs. Single.
May 24.—Nanaimo, home.
May 28.—Garrison, home.
May 28.—Strawberry Vale, away.
June 4.—Victoria, away.
June 4.—Saaneich, away.
June 11.—Vancouver, home.
June 11.—University School, away.
June 18.—Seattle, away.
June 18.—Strawberry Vale, home.
June 25.—Victoria, home.
July 1.—Garrison, home.
July 1.—Saaneich, away.
July 2.—Seattle, home.
July 2.—Esquimalt, away.
July 9.—Victoria, away.
July 9.—Empress C.C., home.
July 16.—Garrison, away.
July 16.—Strawberry Vale, away.
July 23.—Nanaimo, away.
July 23.—Empress C.C., home.
July 30.—Saaneich, home.
Aug. 6.—Strawberry Vale, home.
Aug. 13.—Vancouver, away.
Aug. 13.—Empress C.C., home.
Aug. 20.—C. S. "Restorer," home.
Aug. 22—27.—Cricket week, Victoria.
Sept. 2.—Garrison, away.
Sept. 2.—Esquimalt, home.
Sept. 7.—Seattle, away.
Sept. 7.—Empress C.C., home.
Sept. 10.—C. S. "Restorer," home.

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RESULTS OF J.B.A.A. BOXING TOURNAMENT

115 lbs.—Sailor Truscott, H. M. S. Shearwater, beats "Billy" O'Keefe, Empress Athletic club. Four rounds.

125 lbs.—Billy Hill, Victoria West Athletic association, beats Tommy Knockton, Empress Athletic club. Four rounds.

135 lbs.—Charles Cowan, J. M. C. A., beats C. Schultz, B. A. A. Four rounds.

145 lbs.—J. Fox, V. W. A. A., beats Eddie Kaiser, E. A. C. Knock out in first round.

145 lbs.—J. McIntyre, J. B. A. A., beats J. Pottinger, D. G. S. Newton. Four rounds.

150 lbs.—"Billy" Lane, E. A. C., beats Gr. Brown, Work Point garrison. Award second round.

180 lbs.—H. Gawley beats Frank Smith, both Victoria Police force. Three rounds.

Credit where credit is due which, in its present application, means that the Empress Athletic Club at last has arrived. Its contribution to the 150 pound class in last night's J. B. A. A. boxing tournament, "Billy" Lane, was the star of the performance. He did a lot of fast and effective work in the one and a fraction round, during which Gr. Brown, of the Garrison, faced him. Whatever may be thought of Brown's unexpected elevation of the white feather Lane, without a doubt, is the man who, on the boxing of this tournament, must be freely given the laurel wreath.

Clean Knock Out

There were other features, of course. That which made the most impression, after Lane's surprisingly good showing, was the remarkable brevity of the first 145 pound bout. In this was matched "Joe" Fox, of Victoria West, a stranger to Victoria

boxing fans, and Eddie Kaiser, of the E. A. C. They did a little sparring, tapped each other harmlessly, Fox slowly drove his opponent to his corner, and then the end came as suddenly as the snap of a whip. From a crouch Fox shot a sharp left to Kaiser's right jaw, and brought the other fist up strong on the other side of the head. It was done so quickly few recognized the double shift. But it did its work. Kaiser went down without a murmur, and revived a minute or so later.

"The chief of police has stopped the fight," declared Official Announcer Sweeney. Whereat the crowd laughed, not knowing that it was a wise precaution, inasmuch as the amateur law provides that a disabled opponent, unless a decision against him is rendered, may recuperate and come back. But there was no danger of this. Fox got the decision without quibble.

Sailor's Troubles

In the opening affray between Sailor Truscott and "Billy" O'Keefe there was some amusement. They didn't give much really clever sparring, but the tar won favor through his naive disregard of his rival when anything troubled him. Once his uniform was ripped, and he dropped his guard and glanced pleadingly at his seconds, "Go on, that's all right," was the answer, but, too late, O'Keefe ripped a jarring one to the face. Next round the sailor came back feeling better. What clothes he wore were absolutely entire, and for a time he was able to give his whole time to the battle. Soon, however, he got some water in his eyes. Again he stopped and started to explain the situation to the referee, when another disconcerting reminder landed. From that on there were no asides. O'Keefe and Sailor Truscott kept their minds free of anything save attack and guard. The decision was fair, as based on the fourth round, but it was nip and tuck for the initial three.

Knockout's Bout

As for that "Tommy" Knockton—"Billy" Hill go, at 125 lbs., while the decision went to Hill it rightfully belonged to the Empress Club's man. This, it should be understood, is basing judgment solely on the fourth round. The first three were more or less even, and it was natural that the judges should disagree. Both were aggressive, both used both hands freely, and both were clever on their feet. Knockton showed wonderful improvement, but still was inclined to rough it to the limit of endurance. He was the heavier, and should have avoided butting and clinch wrestling. On his part Hill's great mistake was losing his temper. Still, it was a pretty and even mill for three rounds, the fourth plainly going to Knockton because of his opponent's apparently poor condition.

The judges couldn't agree about the last. Referee S. Mitchell slipped badly when, forgetting amateur rules, he gave a draw, and was forced to reverse his decision in favor of "Billy" Hill.

Cowan Wins Again

As usual, C. Cowan, of the Y. M. C. A., in his bickering with C. Schultz, J. B. A. A., gave sportsmen a specimen of sportsmanlike two-handed boxing. Schultz tried mixing it towards the finish, and Cowan met him in kind. It shouldn't have gone four rounds, being plainly Cowan's in the first three, but as the ultimate result was the same, nuff sed. Schultz, however, is coming along.

There followed the Fox-Kaiser go, of which there is nothing more to be said, after which McIntyre (J.B.A.A.) and Pottinger, at 145 lbs., went four rounds. It was a peculiar fight. The seaman was shifty on his feet, possessed good defence, but wasn't fast enough with his mitts to do much good. McIntyre held him off, and, although not able to land except occasionally, fairly earned the bacon.

After the "Billy" Lane victory over Gunner Brown there was a gory heavy weight exhibition between H. Gawley and Frank Smith of the Victoria Police Force. The latter's length of reach didn't avail him, and he stood three rounds of pummeling with a smiling countenance. His right eye should be all the colors of the rainbow when this reaches the readers' hands.

BASEBALL RESULTS

Northwestern

	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	11	13	2
Tacoma	5	7	2

Batteries: Hall, Butler and Blankinship; Seaton and Shea.

Const.

	R.	H.	E.
Vernon	3	9	2
Los Angeles	1	5	3

Batteries: Jensen and Lewis; Loya and Brooks.

American

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	3	12	0
Chicago	0	4	1

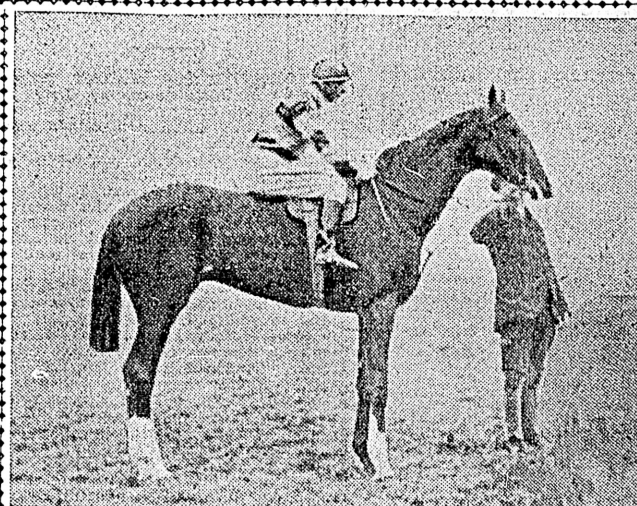
National

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Pittsburg	3	7	0
Boston	0	2	0

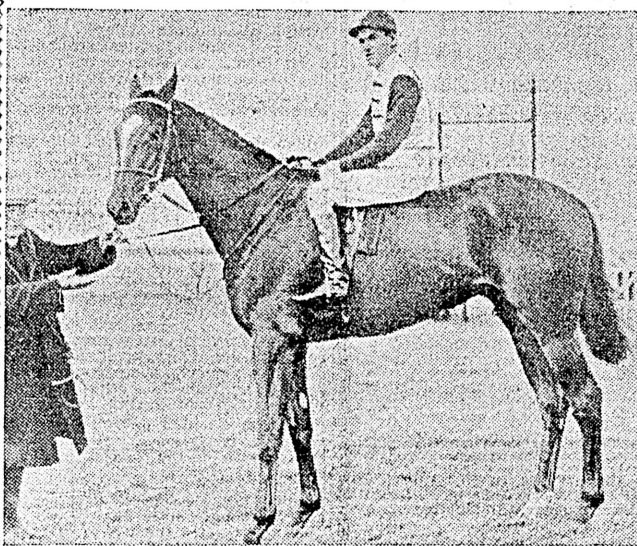
St. Louis

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	10	9	4
Philadelphia	3	7	5

Favorites in Derby Which Takes Place on June 1st



Lord Rosebery's Nell Gow, D. Maher up, winner of the Two Thousand Guinea Stakes by a short neck from Lemberg.



Mr. Fairlee's Lemberg, rival of Nell Gow, and a close second choice for the Derby.

THIS YEAR'S DERBY

One of the British horse racing experts, who writes under the non de plume, Rapier, in Sporting and Dramatic, has this to say about the approaching Derby:

"It was truly a great race for the Two Thousand. When last week I was writing about the short heads by which the race had been won, I did not expect we were to see another of them. I had heard so much of Lemberg from the best authority that I had convinced myself he would win; but I wound up my comment on the race with the remark that 'Nell Gow can do wonderful things when he likes.' Last Wednesday he did like, and we very seldom see anything like the thrilling struggle which resulted. 'Now,' I thought to myself, as I left my perch and hurried off to have a look at the horse as he returned to the weigh in, 'I know what somebody will say to me in less than three minutes!' In less than one somebody said it. 'If the jockeys had only been reversed!' That was precisely what I had anticipated. There was a certain amount of cogency in it, because Maher had had a long acquaintance with Nell Gow's peculiarities. He may, therefore, have got a bit more out of the look at the horse as he returned with him could have done; but the implication was that another jockey might have ridden a better race on Lemberg than Dillon did, and with this I cannot agree. He had bad luck in a way. The two leaders got so close that Dillon seemed to be hampered. I do not think he could have used his whip with his right hand. But this was bad luck, and not bad jockeyship. I do not believe that Tressady's failure greatly surprised his friends. Somebody who should know him better than anybody else described him to me as 'a funny horse.' His 'fun' in this connection consists of not putting it all in.

"I am writing in some haste shortly after seeing the race. Of course, it is a subject to which we shall have to return as facts, ideas, and opinions come to light. The problem is: What will win the Derby? I realised how greatly this was occupying the minds of the legions when on Wednesday evening a stranger—a gentleman, as his voice and diction showed—joined me in the street and asked me what I thought about it. I was walking from the 'tube,' and my race glasses informed him where I had been, no doubt. He wanted to know whether Nell Gow seemed to be staying on, and whether Lemberg, was fit. They were both staying on. Lemberg blew very little after the race, but will have rather more muscle on his quarters by June 1st. If I had backed Nell Gow I should be mortally afraid of Lemberg, and if I had backed Lemberg I should be mortally afraid of

Nell Gow. I cannot make up my mind between them, but I fancy that the three-year-olds are good this season. Here for the present I must leave this interesting subject. Of the other races the Lady Privoles filly justified her favoritism by winning the Wilbraham plate. Seeing that two-year-olds do not run in France till August, it was strange to find the Baron E. de Rothschild's Zinfandel filly, Nectarine II., so forward in April. She has rather a long back, and could not climb the hill out of the dip effectively, but she is a nice sort of mare. The defeat of the ex-Kirsche colt, Old Bewick, cost his friends a lot of money. Mr. Arthur James took the last race on Wednesday with the Achuna colt, whom so many of us had backed at Epsom, whereas we backed Orange Bud here; but I am sure the owner did not fancy the winner, as he put off a most popular lady whom everyone is always anxious to oblige."

CLUBS WARNED AGAINST WARDS

Athletic Associations Cautioned Not to Play Scheduled Games With N.W.A.A.—Meeting Next Monday

Owing to the absence from the city of Dan O'Sullivan, commissioner for the B. C. A. U., the secretary, A. J. Brace, has taken the only step open to him under the constitution with reference to the North Ward-Ladysmith embroglio. He has written to the different local amateur athletic associations warning them, that, in the event of their allowing any of their teams to play scheduled games against North Ward's soccer men—that is those who met Ladysmith on Sunday—they endanger their standing. Thus the Wards are temporarily suspended.

On Monday night, when Commissioner O'Sullivan will be here, there will be a meeting of the local branch of the B. C. A. U., when the question will be discussed in all its phases. That the full representation from the various Victoria clubs, numbering some fifteen in all, will be present is a foregone conclusion. The opinion in official circles is that it will be impossible to follow any other course than to allow the ban to remain on the eleven gallant football lads of the North Ward district at least until the annual meeting of the union, which takes place about the time of the provincial championship meet in August.

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Warre & Co., Convido, qts	1.50	15.50	Watson's X X X	1.00	10.50	Clysmic	1.75	Burke's X X X, Imp. qt.	1.25	Peach Brandy	1.75
Cockburns' red label, qts	1.50	15.00	Whyte & McKay	1.00	10.50	Perrier Water	1.75	Keegan's X X X, pts75	STOUTS		Doz.
Grahame's Oporto, very choice	1.00	10.50	King Edward VII.	1.00	10.50	Local Aerated Waters75	Keegan's X X X, half-pts40	Barclay Perkins', London:		
Choice California	50	5.50	Brown's Four Crown	1.00	10.50	Syphons	1.25	BRANDIES			Imperial Russian, pts	2.00
Native Wine	35	4.00	Robertson's Special	1.00	10.50	SHERRIES		Bot.	Martell's X X X, qts	1.75	Imperial Russian, nips	1.25
Hudson Bay Port	1.50		Crawford's V. F. O., guaranteed			Duff Gordon, No. 28	1.25	Hennessy's X X X, qts	1.75	Brown Stout, pts	1.60
DRAUGHT PORTS				12 years old	1.25	12.00	Very Old Spanish	1.00	Hennessy's X X X, pts	1.00	Brown Stout, nips	1.00
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California Port, per gallon	2.50		Watson's No. 10	1.25	12.00	Hudson Bay Sherry	1.50	Levalliers' X X X, qts	1.00	Barclay's Pale Ale, nips	1.00
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The first to arrive of the members of the University Site Selection Commission, Professor R. C. Weldon, D.C. B., Ph. D., Dean of the Faculty of Law of Dalhousie University, Halifax, N.S. (Premier McBride's alma mater), reached Victoria on Monday evening, and was welcomed by Hon. Dr. Young, Minister of Education. The distinguished Nova Scotia educationist had already started for British Columbia before the arrangement was made for a postponement of the opening sitting of the Commission, and telegrams advising him of this action failed to secure delivery. He has therefore several days in which to look about him and enjoy the spring-time attractions of Victoria before being joined next week by his colleagues of the Commission, all of whom are now en route, and will reach the city next week.

The Government, while extending every courtesy and hospitality to the distinguished visitors who are entrusted with the selection of a site for

British Columbia's future seat of higher learning, will offer no suggestions—take no part in the arrangements to be made for the carrying out of the mission of the five educationists, as defined by the legislation bringing the Commission into existence.

It is, of course, left for the Commissioners themselves to select their chairman as well as their secretaries, and it is expected that such selection will be made at the initial meeting, to be held in this city on the 26th instant.

R. M. Faulkner, who on Thursday last killed William Harbin in Seattle, after his own release from jail only twelve hours before, is an ex-resident of Vancouver, where he was in trouble for threatening to kill his wife. Jealousy of his wife in Faulkner's case amounted to mania, and homicidal mania at that.

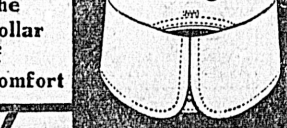
"HOIST WITH HIS OWN PETARD"

American Speculator Instructs Agent to Stake "Second Class" Land And the Agent Obeys

Here is an item from a Cariboo newspaper, which shows that occasionally the blter may yet be bitten, the American speculator who makes loud and vehement complaint, apparently by his own confession having expected the stake he employed, to cheat the government (and thus the country by taking up) first class land for him, and at the same time grading it for purchase as second class. Listen to the tale of woe: "An American investor who put \$30,000 into staking land near Fort George has just come out an angry and disappointed man. He says he organized a syndicate in which the widow's mite figured prominently, and instructed a land expert to stake him about ten thousand acres of land. He instructed that the land was to be as near Fort George as possible, of the description known as second class. He figured out his profits by the hundred per cent, and went in recently to spy out the land which was to realise him all his dream of wealth. When he got to Fort George he claims he found that his estate consisted of high and dry benches, jack-pine guiches and flats, and that the whole lot would

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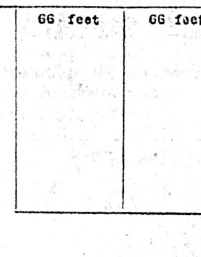
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Portland Wonder	.45	.51
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Van. Portland Canals	.90	1.00
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1000 American Can. Oil at 9 1/2		
Isle Royale Strong.		
BOSTON, May 17.—Quiet liquidation continued today and the market displayed a sagging tendency throughout the session. Isle Royale was noticeably strong on report of striking the Baltic trade in a trench. North Butte also showed a firm tone on comparatively small transactions. The		

supply of this stock is very small under 35 and it advances easily on small buying. The market remains a trading affair and can be bought on a few points decline for a turn only.

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET LOWER

Temporary Dip Owing to Selling Caused by Additional Rains Over Grain Area of Northwest

CHICAGO, May 17.—The market today had the temporary dip anticipated because of selling caused by the additional rains over the northwest and as the offerings were well taken by a group of large commission concerns and not again put on the market the shorts were left without a chance to get their wheat back except by bidding for it the last hour and this gave the market a quick and strong upturn. So long as the leading bull stands firmly by his line in September there appears to be little chance for much headway on the part of the local shorts sellers. It is known that there is a soft cash wheat situation in southwestern market, that the spring crop situation is materially improved by the recent rains and that the foreign situation is bullish. If left to those influences we should have lower prices at once.

Corn—There was considerable strength in corn at one time today. It acted heavy, however, at the close. Considering the small element of receipts for this market the somewhat bullish planting report from Iowa and some adverse cold weather talk from Illinois counties and the fairly firm cash market, the action in futures was disappointing to the bull leaders who bought heavy on the early advance. It is time for a change to warm forcing weather favorable for planting and the start of the new crop and if this takes place sellers of these deferred months on the hard spots will be in line for early profits.

Wheat	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	113	113	111	112 1/2
July	103	103 1/2	102 1/2	103 1/2
Sept.	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	101 1/2
Dec.	99 1/2	100 1/2	99 1/2	100 1/2
Corn				
May	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
July	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Sept.	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Oats				
May	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
July	40 1/2	41	40 1/2	40 1/2
Sept.	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Pork				
May	23.20	23.22	23.15	23.22
July	22.95	23.27	22.90	23.27
Sept.	22.92	23.20	22.87	23.17
Lard				
May	13.10	13.17	13.12	13.15
July	12.80	12.90	12.80	12.87
Sept.	12.75	12.77	12.65	12.72
Short Rib				
May	13.00	13.20	13.12	13.20
July	12.65	12.85	12.65	12.82
Sept.	12.65	12.70	12.65	12.70

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Stock	High.	Low.	Bid.	Close.
Allis-Chalmers				9 1/2
do pfd				32
Amer. Copper	7 1/4	7 1/4	7 1/4	7 1/4
Amer. Car. Ry.	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Amer. Cot. Oil				25
Amer. Ice				25
Amer. Loco.	49 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Amer. Smelt.	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Amer. Sugar	123 1/2	123	123	123 1/2
Amer. Tel.	136 1/2	136	136	136
Amer. Woolen	36	35	35	34
Anacosta	44 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Atchafson	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
do pfd	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2
B. and O.	81 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	81 1/2
C. P. R.	193 1/2	192 1/2	193	193 1/2
C. and O.	86 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2
C. and G. W.	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
do pfd	51	50 1/2	50 1/2	51
C. and N. W.	152	151 1/2	151	151 1/2
C. M. and S. P.	138 1/2	138	138 1/2	138 1/2
Cent. Leather	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
C. F. and I.				38
Colo. Southern	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Con. Gas				138
Hocking Coal	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Corn Products	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
D. and H.				171
D. and R. G.	41	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Distillers				30 1/2
Erie	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
do 1s pfd				46
do 2s pfd	36 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Gen. Elec.	150 1/2	149 1/2	150	150 1/2
Gl. Nor. Ore.	136 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2
Ill. Nor. pfd	136 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2
Inter-Met.	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
do pfd	55 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Int. Pump	49	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Iowa Cent.				21
L. and N.				140 1/2
Mackay				87 1/2
do pfd				75 1/2
Mexican Cent.				29
M. S. P. S. M.	140	139 1/2	139 1/2	139 1/2
do pfd				148
M. K. and T.	42	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Missouri Pac.	70 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
Nat. Lead				78
do pfd				108 1/2
Nevada Cons.	21 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
N. Y. Cent.	121 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
N. Y. O. and W.	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
N. and W.				102 1/2
Northern Pac.	132 1/2	131 1/2	131 1/2	131 1/2
Pacific Const.				110
Pacific Mail				26
Pennsyl. Ry.	135 1/2	134 1/2	135	135 1/2
Peoples Gas				107 1/2
Pressed Steel	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Reading	163 1/2	162 1/2	162 1/2	162 1/2
do 1s pfd				90 1/2
do 2s pfd	102	101	101 1/2	101 1/2
Rep. Steel	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
do pfd	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
Rock Island	126 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2
Southern Pac.	27	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Tenn. Copper				26 1/2
Texas Pac.	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
T. S. L. and W.				38
Twon City				111
Union Pac.	182 1/2	182	182 1/2	182 1/2
U. S. Cast I. Pipe				22
U. S. Steel	83 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
do pfd	118 1/2	117	118	118 1/2
Utah Copper	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Virginia Chem.	60 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Wabash	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
West. Union				68
Westinghouse				63
Wisconsin Cent.				61
Amer. B. Sugar.	37 1/2	37	36 1/2	36 1/2

do pfd 92
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do pfd 66
Money on call, 3 per cent.
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Stock	Bid.	Asked.
Bell Telephone	144	
Can. Cons. Rubber	94	97
Detroit United	57	58
Dom. Coal and Iron	67 1/2	67 1/2
Dom. Iron and Steel	69 1/2	69 1/2
Lake of Woods	134	
do pfd	126	126 1/2
Mex. Light and Power	77 1/2	78 1/2
Mont. Cotton Co.	134	140
Mont. Light and Power	234	243 1/2
Mont. St. Railway	242 1/2	243 1/2
Nova Scotia Steel	79	82
do pfd	121 1/2	
Ogilvie Mfg. Co.	143 1/2	
do pfd	127	129
Ottawa Lt. and Power	110	
Quebec Railways	44 1/2	44 1/2
R. and O. Nav.	85	86 1/2
Rio de Janeiro Tram.	93 1/2	93 1/2
Shawinigan Wat. and E.	100	
Toledo Railways	119	119 1/2
Toronto Railways	119	119 1/2
Canada Cement	23 1/2	23 1/2

FARMERS HELD POTATOES LONG

Market Is Now Glutted Owing to Opening of Pits in Anticipation of the Coming of the New Crop

The feature of the retail market is the demoralization of the potato trade. Farmers who refused to sell last autumn laid away their spuds in pits to wait for higher prices and the result was that the market has now become glutted by the opening of the pits in anticipation of the coming of the new crop. There is such an abundant supply of what the Frenchman calls "the apple of the earth" that prices are dropping.

The naval orange market is about over, the quality of the fruit now offering being poor. Seedling oranges are expected by the next steamer from the south. Rhubarb is coming in well, and the price is dropping. New potatoes are coming in better in size and quality but the price maintains. New California green beans are on the market for the first time this week. Apples are about over, the varieties now offering being poor. Strawberries from California are about over, but Hood river varieties are coming in exceptionally fine in condition. The hot-house lettuce has had its day and local outdoor lettuce is now on sale. Local asparagus is advancing in price and will last probably another week.

Stock	High.	Low.	Bid.	Close.
Royal Household, a bag	1.30			1.30
Le of the Woods, a bag	2.00			2.00
Royal Standard, a bag	2.00			2.00
Wild Rose, a bag	2.00			2.00
Robin Hood, per sack	1.75			1.75
Calgary, a bag	1.75			1.75
Snowflake, a bag	1.75			1.75
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.85			1.85
Three Star, per sack	1.85			1.85
Moffet's Best, per bag	1.85			1.85
Feedstuffs.				
Barley, per 100 lbs.	1.50			1.50
Shorts, per 100 lbs.	1.50			1.50
Midlings, per 100 lbs.	1.70			1.70
Oats, per 100 lbs.	1.50			1.50
Feed Wheat, per 100 lbs.	2.25			2.25
Crushed Oats, per 100 lbs.	1.65			1.65
Barley, per 100 lbs.	1.75			1.75
Cracked Wheat, per 100 lbs.	1.85			1.85
Chop Feed, per 100 lbs.	1.60			1.60
Whole Corn, per 100 lbs.	2.00			2.00
Cracked Corn, per 100 lbs.	1.85			1.85
Feed, Cornmeal, per 100 lbs.	2.25			2.25
Hay, Fraser River, per ton	23.00	25.00		24.00
Hay, prairie	19.00			19.00
Meats.				
Beef, per lb.	.08	.09		.08
Mutton, per lb.	.15	.20		.15
Stutton, Australian	.15	.20		.15
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.15	.20		.15
Geese, dressed, per lb.	.20	.24		.20
Chickens, per lb., live weight	.12 1/2	.16		.12 1/2
Ducks, dressed, per lb.	.20	.25		.20
Hams, per lb.	.18	.25		.18
Pork	.15	.20		.15
Fruit.				
Figs, table, per lb.	.25			.25
Lemons, per dozen	.30			.30
Oranges, Naval	.30	.40		.30
Bananas	.35	.40		.35
Apples, per box	2.50	3.50		2.50
Grape Fruit, (Cal.)	.15	.20		.15
Grape fruit (Florida)	.15	.20		.15
Strawberries (Cal.) box	.20			.20
Vegetables.				
Onions, 6 lbs for	.25			.25
Sweet Potatoes, 2 lbs	.25			.25
Beets, per lb.	.05			.05
Carrots, per lb.	.02			.02

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TWO CORNER LOTS CRAIGFLOWER,
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Southgate street, ten minutes walk
from postoffice. Terms \$3,500.

42 ACRES ONLY FOUR MILES NORTH
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tom land, residence, all modern con-
struction, good barn and outbuildings,
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nace, electric light, etc., beautifully fin-
ished. Very good lawn, also a number of
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SAANICH INLET—28 ACRES OF FINE
land, 12 under cultivation; nice or-
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beautiful Saanich Inlet, the waters of which
afford splendid fishing and boating facili-
ties, making this property a most desirable
and lovely home; within easy reach of the
city. Price \$3,000. Terms.

FINES NEW 6-ROOM HOUSE WITH ONE
acre of excellent land. A big snap at
\$4,000. \$300 cash will handle this. Easy
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12 ACRES OF CHOICE LAND, ALL
fenced, cleared; very good house and
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five roomed house and lot near
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few days, don't fail to get particulars if you
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Terms.

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lots, fruit trees. \$2,250. Terms.

ALBERT LOTS—WATERFRONT LOTS, 50x
320. \$600. Terms. Other waterfront
lots as cheap.

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EIGHT ROOMED HOUSE COMMANDING
the finest view of the water and
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spect, this is a snap and is open for a
few days, don't fail to get particulars if you
are in the market for a bargain.

OAK BAY—SEVEN ROOMED HOUSE
with acre of land, open fireplace
in every room, reception hall, dining room, par-
lor, pannelled with beamed ceiling, full
basement, large table, large tennis court
surrounding of fruit trees and garden laid
out in splendid shape, taxes very low,
\$5,500 and \$1,500 cash, balance easy.

TWO AND ONE-HALF ACRES AND SEV-
en roomed house on car line, barn or
right horses, and lot 12 ton of hay,
number of other outbuildings, could easily
be subdivided, fine peach and other fruit
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at \$8,400. Arrange terms. Don't fail to let
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FARM AT STRAWBERRY VALE FOUR
miles from city, five room cottage,
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Furnish and acreage. Houses in and near
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\$4500—A BEAUTIFUL GARDEN (350
sq. ft.) with fruit trees, etc. Terms
court, three full sized lots and six room cot-
tage.

\$1000—25 ACRES, SAANICH

\$150—PER ACRE WATERFRONT,
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\$50—PER ACRE FOR 200 ACRES 8 1/2
miles out.

\$30—PER ACRE FOR 300 ODD ACRES
10 miles out.

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walk from car, James Bay.

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Ave. Near Quadra street. Terms
to suit.

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George road. Terms to suit.

\$2500—FIVE ROOMED MODERN
house, James Bay. Small cash
payment and balance to suit.

\$550—TWO NICE LOTS OVERLOOKING
city, fine view of water, or the
two \$1,000.

\$450—ROCKLAND PARK. LOTS
nicely situated.

\$225—NICE LOTS ON SAANICH ARM
with 50 feet water frontage near
Mill Bay. Small cash payment, balance
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lots now.

\$3600—TEN ACRES WATER FRONT,
all cleared. Close to city.

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SEVERAL MOST DESIRABLE LOTS FOR
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\$500 each. Terms 1/3 cash balance 1, 2,
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ALSO LOTS ON PRIOR STREET,
Graham Street, Blackwood Street.
Terms \$750 to \$500. Terms \$50 cash, balance
to suit.

THE CAPITAL CITY REALTY
COMPANY

Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agts.
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SOOKE—60 ACRES ON THE ROUTE OF
the Barkley Sound Railway, cheap
in the district. Price \$10 per acre for
quick sale, buy now.

LARGE CORNER, 120x120 ON CAR LINE
Corner Fairfield road and Cook St.
This is an excellent site.

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ON THE GORGE—SEVEN ROOM HOUSE
beautifully finished, has electric light,
cement basement, bathroom, etc. on lot 50x
200, 50 feet water front, 18 bearing fruit
trees. Price \$6,150. Easy terms.

ON THE GORGE—NINE ROOM HOUSE
new, beautifully finished and panel-
led, cement basement, on lot 100x257. Price
\$11,000. Easy terms.

ON THE GORGE—FOUR LOTS, FINE
situation with water frontage. Price
\$2,500. Each. Terms arranged.

ON THE GORGE—FIVE ROOM HOUSE,
bath and pantry, hot and cold water,
etc. Large boat house, lot 160x275. Price
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FOR SALE, WATERFRONT ACREAGE,
at South Saanich. You require a sum-
mer home by the sea, this is an ideal spot,
commanding view pure spring water, 12
miles out, good roads, and the land is of
the highest quality. Cleared and fenced. Price in
14 acre blocks \$150 per acre. Terms 1/3 cash
balance easy.

FOUR LOTS ON SHELBOURNE STREET
40x170. \$290 each for quick sale.
Terms.

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HERE IS A BARGAIN—CORNER COR-
ner street and ocean view road, 2 1/2 lots
for \$100.

A SPLENDID SIX ROOMED HOUSE ON
Albany street, and 1/4 acre of good land
for \$2,200.

ONE LOT ON NIAGARA ST. CLOSE TO
Beacon Hill park. Only \$1,500. Terms

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SOLDIERS AND SAILORS
Home, Esquimalt

The trustees of the above property—
comprising a large three-story build-
ing and one acre of land, most favor-
ably situated on Esquimalt and Ad-
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offers in writing, for either the sale or
lease of the above valuable property.
Particulars may be obtained by ad-
dressing

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or at The Home, by appointment.
Neither the highest nor any offer
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NOTICE

THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY
hereby give notice that one month from
date hereof, they will apply to the Su-
perintendent of Provincial Police at
Victoria, B.C. for a renewal of their
license for selling intoxicating liquors
at the premises known as The Hudson's
Bay House, situated at Telegraph
Creek, in the district of Cassiar, to
commence the 1st day of July, 1910.

THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY,
Per JAS. THOMSON.

April 27, 1910.

Advertise in THE COLONIST

Fort George

No one who is not actually on the
ground can appreciate the strength
of the forces that are at work to de-
velop the resources of Central British
Columbia and to make Fort George
a great city. In this development the
railways inevitably take the leading
part. The following item appeared in
the Revelstoke Mail-Herald of May 4:

GRAND TRUNK
PACIFIC

Vice-President Chamberlin
Visits British Columbia.

We hear a lot from the political
press about the cost of the Grand
Trunk Pacific railway, but practical
men who have themselves seen the
work of construction, and the manner
in which it is being carried on, inform
us the builders of this great transpor-
tation system are laying the finest
roadbed that traverses the continent.
It is built for permanence, safety of
traffic, ease of grade, and reduction of
cost of haulage to the lowest possible
point. Other railway companies may
pull them to pieces afterwards, re-
build them, alter curves and grades,
and spend on them perhaps many times
the cost of original construction. It will
not be so with the Grand Trunk Pa-
cific. That road is being built along the
most up-to-date lines of railway and
engineering practice.

An interesting visitor to British Co-
lumbia last week was Mr. E. J. Cham-
berlin, vice-president of the Grand
Trunk Pacific railway. Interviewed by
the editor of the Mail-Herald, we found
Mr. Chamberlin as interesting as is the
great work of which he is the active
head.

"We are determined to have the
Grand Trunk Pacific railway opened
from coast to coast as soon as pos-
sible," said Mr. Chamberlin. "We
have one great difficulty, and that is
the procuring of sufficient labor. We
can employ all the good men we can
get, and the sooner we can get the
road completed and opened for traf-
fic the better we shall be pleased. We
shall push it through as soon as pos-
sible. This summer we shall have
the whole of the remaining section
between Yellowhead Pass and Hazelton
under construction. By July we
shall have the first hundred miles
west from Prince Rupert open for traf-
fic and will extend our operating sys-
tem just as fast as the roadbed is
completed and opened for traffic.

There have been unforeseen difficul-
ties and delays in the construction of
the bridge over the narrows on the
Skeena river, west of Prince Rupert,
and I am just going up there now to
endeavor to have that work expedited
so that there shall be no delay. If we
cannot get the bridge completed for
the proposed time of opening of traf-
fic on that section we shall get across
somehow. If we have to put in a ferry
to enable traffic to be carried till the
bridge is completed.

"An interesting visitor to British Colum-
bia as our great field, and we shall
spare no effort or expense to develop
that country in the most effective
manner. As soon as our main line is
completed we shall undertake the con-
struction of branch lines, and one
of the first we shall put in hand will
be a line to the north. In our original
plans our engineers proposed to start
at Bulkley valley, but that
have now come to the conclusion
that Fort George is the best point at
which to connect it with the main
line and form our main junction point.
There is a vast, rich country there,
awaiting transportation, and we shall
supply it.

"Fort George is destined to become
the most important point, and the
greatest city between Prince Rupert
and Edmonton, and is the point from
which we propose to enter the rich
territory to the north and south.

"I leave for Prince Rupert Satur-
day night, and the object of my visit
is to arrange for pushing the develop-
ment of our railway and transporta-
tion system just as rapidly as it is
possible to do it. We recognize the
extraordinary wealth which we are
about to open up to the world's trade,
and we hope to do it in the most ef-
ficient and efficient manner possible,
justifying the assistance and support
that has been accorded us by the gov-
ernment and people of Canada."

particulars what Mr. Chamberlin
says about Fort George. We repeat
it, that you may catch its significance:

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neers proposed to start that line from
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Note—No lots are for sale in the
townsite of Fort George except by us
or our accredited agents.

Call or write to-day for informa-
tion.

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Security Co. Ltd

VANCOUVER, B. C.

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MINING NEWS

London copper close: Spots, 56 1/2 off
3-9. Sales 1,000 tons. Futures, 56.
New York silver 54. Mexican dol-
lars 44 cents.

Standard copper, 12 1/4 to 12 1/2.
Lead, \$4.25 to \$4.35.
Tin, \$33.10 to \$33.20.
Spelter, 5 1/4 to 5 1/2.

Nelson Smelter.

It was announced at the last meeting
of the Nelson that the Dominion Gov-
ernment had definitely decided to use
the Nelson smelter in its experiments in
connection with the zinc industry, and
that the Minister of Mines had declared
his intention in the House of Commons.

Items of the Cobalt Camp.

It is stated on good authority that La
Rose has been inspected by disinterested
parties, and has been found to have im-
proved.

In the fourth annual report of the
Peterson Lake, Mr. A. F. MacLaren con-
gratulates the shareholders on the im-
proved conditions of the company.
Against \$6,818 in the bank at the end
of the previous financial year, the com-
pany had a credit balance of \$17,337 on
April 30, 1910, and had further reduced
its liability on capital account by \$160,-
000, this amount of stock having been
re-transferred to the company as the
result of a recent action.

It is stated that the company has
been for some time developing a vein
of the Nelson, and that the vein ap-
pears to be a continuation of the pro-
ducing vein on the Little Nipissing, and
the shipping of ore at an early date is
looked forward to by the directors.

The Nipissing report for April shows
that during that month the company
mined 338,721 ounces of silver, and
value of \$179,018, and shipped ore hav-
ing an estimated value of \$195,033.

Union Pacific Coal Co. directors
met today at Ottawa to determine on
methods for the summer's work.

It is reported that the company's
financial condition is most satisfactory,
and that funds will be on hand to develop
their Peterson Lake lease and the Michi-
gan claim.

Dominion Coal Co. and Benefit Scheme.

While on his short visit to Sydney last
week, Mr. J. H. Plummer found time
to meet and talk to the mine superin-
tendents and managers about the coal
company's affairs and policy so far as it
affected them and their work. He also
met and addressed a meeting of the men
representing the various relief societies
in the working and success of which he
takes a very lively interest, with the
object of stimulating improvement and
making them a means of much greater
benefit to the whole body of the com-
pany's employees.

As an inducement to the men to
contribute to the relief societies would be
supplemented by an equal contribution
from the company, on condition that the
funds of the separate societies now ex-
isting in the various mines be united in
a common fund, to be managed and con-
tributed to as management and individ-
uals, and that opportunity be given to
all the company's workmen to contrib-
ute to the fund and participate in the
benefits. The day following he address-
ed a similar meeting at the steel works,
where a meeting of the Society, which
was founded about five years ago, of
which he has been president from its
inception, has been doing excellent
work. After congratulating the mem-
bers upon their successful management
of the society, the president suggested
that the time had come for an exten-
sion of its activities and invited the
lines upon which this might proceed.
His suggestions were received with evi-
dent appreciation, and a committee was
appointed to act with some of the offi-
cers of the company in working out the
details.

SHIPPING DISASTER
OFF THE PHILIPPINES

Empress of China Brought News of
Sinking of Coasting Steamer With
Eight People After Collision

News was brought by the R. M. S.
Empress of China of a steamship dis-
aster. The steamer Neustra Senora del
Pilar was sunk off Mindoro after col-
lision with the ship Manyan, 8 were
drowned, three of them being members
of the crew. It appears that the steam-
er was passing through the Green Is-
land Straits early on the morning of
April 8th, accidentally pushed off the
bulk, with no lights on board, and
bearing down upon it. The crew of the
steamer shouted to the sailing vessel,
but there was no response. Accord-
ingly the "del Pilar" altered her course
to port in order to avoid the other
vessel which was steering across her
bow. Unfortunately, this manoeuvre
was not executed in time for the sail-
ing vessel, the "Manyan," an old ad-
verted gunboat—had a ram projecting
from her bow below the water line.
This crashed into the "del Pilar" with
great force, and the steamer appears
at once to have sprung a leak. At first
it was thought the damage was slight,
and a boat was dispatched to the
sinking vessel to offer assistance. The
boat had not proceeded far, however,
when it was found to be sinking shd
when it was called back, as the "del
Pilar" was found to be sinking fast.
She was at once set full speed towards
Green Island, eight miles away, with
the object of being beached, but when
two miles from the shore she was found
it, and by settling down, and accordingly
the passengers and crew were com-
pelled to take to the boats.

This appears to have been carried
out without any panic. All the women
and children were got into the boats
first. A Mrs. Asuncion Fortes, who was
assisting her little granddaughter, Fran-
ciska Manyan, aged 10, down the gang-
way, was accidentally pushed off the
ladder into the boat. The little girl
slipped out of the jacket which her
grandmother was holding and fell into
the water, sinking instantly. Two wo-
men and three members of the crew
were getting their luggage from their
cabins when the vessel went down with
them on board. Two members of the
Philippine Constabulary were also
among the drowned, Captain Otero re-
mained on the bridge until the water
was up to his waist, and it was only
with the greatest difficulty that he
managed to reach the boats, on account
of the vortex caused by the sinking
vessel. The shipwrecked people (87 in
number) reached Green Island without
further difficulty and were transferred
from there to Manila by the launch
"Cervantes," reaching there this morn-
ing.

The "Manyan" did not suffer any
material damage.

Tartar Breaking Up

According to word received by in-
coming steamers from the north the
wrecked steamer Tartar is beginning

CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement works, authorized by Bylaw, from time to time, will be found in the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

Pavement Tenders

City of Victoria, B. C.

Sealed tenders addressed to the
undersigned, and endorsed tender for
pavement will be received until 4 p.
m., Friday, May the 20th, next, for
paving with asphalt and construction
of the necessary sidewalks, curb and
gutter on the following streets:
Linden Avenue from Port to Dallas
Road.

St. Charles Street from Fort to
Rockland Avenue.

Southgate from Vancouver to Cook
Cook from Pakington to May Street.
Plans and specifications may be seen
and form of tender may be had at the
office of the Purchasing Agent. The
lowest or any tender not necessarily
accepted.

W. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent.
May 7th, 1910.

Owing to Friday being a holiday, time
for receiving the above tenders has
been extended to the 21st, up to 12
noon.

W. W. NORTHCOTT.

Births Marriages, Deaths

DIED.

Store Remains Closed
All Day, Friday

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED.

Store Remains Closed
All Day, Friday

We Intend Making Tomorrow a Very Busy Day, and Have Selected a Number of Very Special Offerings for That Day's Selling

In respect to the death and funeral of His Majesty, King Edward VII, this store will remain closed all day. But, Friday being the bargain day at all other times, we have decided to make tomorrow a very busy day instead, and have selected some very tempting specials which we are sure will cause a spontaneous response of buying enthusiasm.



\$3.00 to \$7.25
Children's
Dresses
to Sell, Tomorrow
Morning,
at \$1.50

That every economical mother will be here tomorrow morning goes without saying. A specially fine line of Children's White Dresses go on special sale. These are made of very fine organdy and muslins, handsomely trimmed with Val. lace and embroidery, made in a number of very dainty styles. Sizes range for girls of 2 up to 12 years, and were marked to sell at \$3.00 up to \$7.25. Owing to their being a little soiled we have marked them to sell quick at—

\$1.50

Two Good Lines Ladies' Lisle
Thread Hose, Thurs., 35c Pair

These two lines at 35c are our two leaders. They are a beautiful quality lisle thread, in plain and lace ankles. They are full fashioned, spliced heel and toe, elastic tops, and absolutely fast dyes. Colors in the plain line are cardinal, mauve and black. With the lace ankles are white, tan and black. These are exceptional value on Thursday morning at, per pair**35c**

Fancy Moire Ribbons,
Tomorrow, yard, 10c

The quality of these ribbons will readily appeal to all lovers of good material and pretty effects. Moire ribbons are most popular these days for millinery trimmings, hair ties or for fancy work purposes. They are a good 5 in. wide, in colors of white, cream, tan, brown, reseda, olive, emerald, Nile, navy blue, and cardinal. Tomorrow morning, per yard **10c**

Ladies' Cotton Vests Greatly Under-
priced

Our Ladies' Underwear Dept. comes forward tomorrow morning with some excellent values in Ladies' Cotton Undervests. These have fancy top, short sleeves, also finished top and strap over shoulder, in plain and fancy sleeveless styles. Priced at 25c, 20c and**15c**



TODAY A DAY OF EXCEP-
TIONAL VALUE-GIVING

Twenty Distinctive Tailored Costumes \$13.75
Reg. \$20 and \$22.50, Today, One Price, \$13.75

Today, we are offering an opportunity to secure a most worthy suit at a price seldom offered. These suits will appeal to the woman who knows, who is a judge of quality and distinctive refinement in suits. Every one is a model of expert tailoring. They are made in the popular 30 to 36 inch jackets with either shawl or notched collar. They are in all shades, excepting black. These sell regularly at \$20 and \$22.50. Today, **\$13.75**

Women's Smart, Stylishly-Tailored Cos-
tumes, Reg. up to \$30.00, Today, \$17.50

To give a detailed description of these suits would be superfluous, for there is every size, color, material or style. The unusually late Spring and reluctant buying convinces us that something must be done in order to move our unusually large stock of women's fine wearing apparel, and to stimulate your interest we have marked the price to such a low figure as to make doubly sure of their quick removal. Usual values up to \$30, Today, **\$17.50**

Men's White Negligee Shirts,
Special, Tomorrow, 75c

A remarkably fine line of White Negligee Shirts will be placed on sale tomorrow at an exceptionally low price. These are extra good quality fine brocade figured front, and longcloth borders, starched neckband and wristbands. They are in all sizes from 14½ to 17. These are being displayed in our Broad street windows. Special tomorrow at**75c**

Men's Boots at \$2.50 That
Will Sell Quickly, Tomorrow
Morning

The values being offered in Men's Shoes for tomorrow's selling are extra strong ones indeed. That we mean to bring those who wish to save is very easily demonstrated by this low price. These include box calf, tan calf and glazed kid, in black and tan, all Blucher cut, on the latest style of last. Tomorrow morning marked to sell quick at**\$2.50**

Boys' Wash Suits Made to Sell at \$1.00 and \$1.25,
for Ages 2 1-2 to 8 Years, Tomorrow, 75c

It is really surprising what 75c will do in the matter of purchasing a good, sensible, strong and well-wearing Wash Suit for the boy. Tomorrow morning we are placing on sale an excellent assortment. These usually sell at \$1.00 and \$1.25 but to make the department a busy one we have marked them down to**75c**
Boys' Overalls, in striped material. Regular 25c, for**15c**
Boys' Blue Denim Overalls. Regular 50c, for**35c**

A Clearance Sale of Corsets Marked to Go Quickly,
Today, at Half Price

Very rarely indeed do we place on sale Corsets. We have decided to make a clearance, and have marked them down to half-price. This sale includes three different models. Style 575 D. & A., made especially for stout figures, made of extra good quality coutil, long hips and front, low bust, four strong supporters, well boned and stitched throughout. Sizes 23 to 36, white only. Regular \$4.50 for**\$2.50**
Style 646 D. & D. This style is long back and hip, medium bust, made of very strong coutil, four strong web elastic supporters, sizes 19, 20, 22 to 28, in white only. Regular price \$4.00, for**\$2.00**
Another line, consisting of odd sizes. Regular \$4.00, \$5.75 and \$6.00. Wednesday **\$2.50**
As there are only a few of these, no exchanges will be made.

A Special Sale of Ladies' White
Blouses, Tomorrow Morning.
Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25

50c

Every lady who needs a Blouse should participate in the purchasing of one here tomorrow morning, even if you don't need it for immediate use it will pay you to purchase for future needs. A charming number of dainty styles to select from, with fronts beautifully embroidered, and rows of wide tucks, long sleeves edged with fine lace, also collar of lace, open down back. They are made of a very fine lawn, and usually sell for \$1.00 and \$1.25. Tomorrow morning—

50c

Ladies' Fancy Neckwear, Values 50c, 75c, \$1.00,
\$1.25 to \$2.00, Tomorrow, 25c

Most people would think or even say that these were exaggerated values, but as a matter of fact, our reason for making them so low is simply because of their soiled appearance through being handled. They are made of lace net, chiffon trimmed with fancy silk and beaded-trimmings, including almost every color. These are being placed on sale tomorrow morning at **25c** each, and are being shown in our Broad street window.



Tremendously Good Bargains Can Be Had at Our Sale
of Dress Goods Remnants, Tomorrow Morning at HALF PRICE

Every few weeks we are left with pieces of dress goods varying from 3 to 8 yards. This is caused by cutting from the different bolts. They are 44 to 54 inches wide. They are all brand new, fresh, crisp, goods, being only received a couple of weeks ago, and at which time consisted of an unusually large purchase. They consist of every known weave in dress goods, and are marked to go tomorrow morning at**HALF PRICE**

Carpet Remnants, Mat
Lengths, Tomorrow,
at 75c

100 Only Mat Lengths of Carpet, in Brussels, Axminsters and Wiltons. These are worth \$1.50 to \$3.00 each. Tomorrow each**75c**

Occasional Tables Spe-
cially Priced for To-
morrow

Occasional Tables, in Early English and Golden Finish, strongly made, with turned legs and shelf beneath for books. Special**\$1.65**

Wall Papers, Reg. 35c to 75c,
10c
Morris Chairs, To-
day, at \$4.90

320 Rolls of Wallpaper go on sale today morning at unheard-of prices. These come in satin and repp grounds, charming designs and colorings, and are very suitable for bedroom, dining-room, parlor, etc. Regular 75c, 50c, 35c. Special for Wednesday morning, single roll**10c**

Solid frames, quarter cut oak, finished golden or Early English. Mission style, spindle sides, adjustable back, with rod, upholstered in hard wearing leatherette, with spring seat and back. These chairs are the biggest bargain ever offered to our patrons. Special price**\$4.90**



Big Chance for Small
Feet, Today



Shoes, Sizes 2, 2 1-2, 3, 3 1-2 and 4, Regular Prices
\$2.50 and \$3, Your Choice for \$1.45

During the past few days we have been kept extremely busy in the Shoe Dept. The big selling of shoes that we enjoyed has left us with an undue number of small sizes. In order to clear these out we have marked them at a price which will ensure their rapid clearance. The sizes included are 2, 2½, 3, 3½ and 4, and include a very popular line, which sold regularly for \$2.50 and \$3.00. This morning, your choice**\$1.45**
See Broad Street Windows